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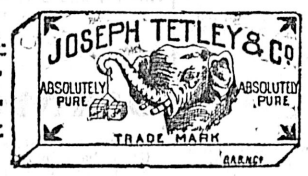
CHOICE  TEAS

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## Extradition Witnesses

### Charge Made Against Mr. G. D. Collins by Prosecution in Extradition Proceedings.

### May Be Charged With Contempt—Application Before Justice Duff Abandoned.

### Witnesses From San Francisco Tell of the Marriage With Charlotta Collins.

A SENSATION was sprung in the Collins case yesterday when Frank Higgins, representing the State of California, accused Collins with tampering with witnesses for the prosecution and stated the matter had been brought to the attention of Mr. Justice Duff, who might order the committal of Collins for contempt. Other developments of the extradition case, which is occupying considerable attention, were the abandonment of the application made before Mr. Justice Duff for an order nisi, the hearing of the evidence of witnesses from San Francisco, some of whom were present at the marriage of Collins and Charlotta Collins, the production of the original records and certificate of the marriage of accused and Charlotta Collins on May 15th, 1889, and evidence of the United States district attorney, R. V. Whiting, that the making of the alleged false affidavit by Collins in verification of his denial of the complaint in which Charlotta Collins in her suit against him for maintenance recited the facts of the marriage with Collins.

The allegation that Collins had tampered with a witness, the notary public, A. J. Henry, was made in response to an application made to Judge Lampman at the adjournment yesterday for more liberty for the accused, who now is given his liberty during the day under care of a special officer and is returned to the city jail at night. Mr. Helmcken said he wished to apply for more liberty for the accused. As the court was aware he had difficulty in obtaining what was accorded before. The chief of police had been good enough to allow accused liberty until 10 p.m. On Tuesday afternoon, though, he had received instructions to return to the city jail at 6 p.m., instead of at 10 p.m. as previously, notwithstanding he had made an appointment with his counsel. There should be free communication between accused and counsel touching what transpired in court and in preparation for the morrow, and he trusted His Honor would afford the accused the necessary liberty. He had nothing to say against Chief Langley, but, as laid down in the Gaynor and Greene case it was stated they were allowed the liberty of their hotel in Montreal with officers guarding. Collins had been given liberty during the daytime by His Honor and His Honor had jurisdiction to

#### Extend the Liberty

His client was willing to pay the expenses of officers, if he were allowed to remain at the Driard hotel. It was easy to arrange so that it would not be possible to get away, which he did not want to do; rather he was fighting to remain in the jurisdiction of His Honor.

There have been attempts made, continued Mr. Helmcken, since these gentlemen came from San Francisco, for the purpose of unnerving or irritating the accused. Further, the place where he is confined is not the the choicest nature, ill ventilated and not what it ought to be. Many undesirables incarcerated there run about his room. He is fighting for liberty and under the British flag has the same right as any British subject similarly circumstanced.

Mr. Higgins, in reply, said throughout the whole proceedings Collins had been treated with consideration and allowed every latitude. But Mr. Collins took advantage on Tuesday night of the liberty given him to tamper with one of the witnesses of the prosecution. He had brought the matter to the attention of Mr. Justice Duff, who might have Collins committed for contempt of court.

Mr. Collins—There is hardly a word of truth in that account.

Mr. Higgins—Will you produce that statement you secured from Mr. Henry?

Mr. Collins—What Mr. Henry stated to me he did voluntarily.

Judge Lampman—I cannot give latitude to anyone to interfere with witnesses. If the chief of police was not taking proper care of the accused he might interfere. In regard to the Gaynor and Greene case local conditions were different in Victoria to Montreal.

Mr. Helmcken—Could not Your Honor make some difference as to the time at which he is ordered to return to the city jail?

Judge Lampman—Apparently I gave a latitude the night previous which was taken advantage of.

The application for further liberty was denied and now a second officer, Constable Woods, has also been detailed to guard Collins, supplementing Special Officer Macnaughton. The liberty given to Collins in the evenings is also expected to be curtailed.

#### Abandoned Application

George D. Collins abandoned his application for a rule nisi before Mr. Justice Duff yesterday morning. When the court adjourned the day before His Lordship had asked him to bring an authority for his contention that the Canadian parliament had no power to enact the statute in section 3 of the extradition act, which made the act of 1886 applicable to further arrangements for extradition. When His Lordship took the bench Mr. H. D. Helmcken, K. C., counsel for Collins, said he had consulted with his client and they had decided to ask that the application for a rule nisi be at present abandoned. The evidence before the extradition commissioner was not complete, and the question would have to be brought up at a later stage. In the meantime they had decided to abandon the present position.

His Lordship, Justice Duff, said there was but one thing for him to do, if they failed to proceed with the application, that was to dismiss it. He regretted the proceedings before His Honor Judge Lampman had been interrupted. He expressed himself as in concurrence with the views of Judge Lampman as to the application of the statute, and he had confidence that the Canadian parliament was able to enact the statute. The application was dismissed.

#### At Collins' Wedding

Yesterday, after G. D. Collins abandoned his application for an order nisi for habeas corups before Mr. Justice Duff, the extradition proceedings were renewed before Judge Lampman and witnesses from San Francisco were heard with regard to the marriage with Charlotta Collins, which accused denied in the affidavit upon the swearing of which is based the perjury charge upon which extradition is sought. James J. Groom, court clerk at San Francisco, produced the original records of marriages, which included the registration of Collins' application for a license to wed Charlotta Collins, subscribed in his own handwriting, and also produced the original license and certificate of marriage with Charlotta Collins on May 15th, 1889, subscribed to by Collins and his wife, and the witnesses to the wedding, Thos. E. Curran and Agnes Newman, sister of the bride. Groom also produced the minutes of the court with regard to the order for alimony, which Collins stated was given in a star chamber proceeding at night, the minutes stating the court was regularly held with Collins' counsel, J. S. Meyer, and all witnesses and officers of the court present. Objections were made to each document presented by Collins and his counsel, they stating they would argue the objections later.

The wedding certificate, license and other documents, including the registration by the priest, Rev. Father Connolly, were all put in evidence, and Mr. Higgins, after each document was read, reciting the fact of the wedding, examined the witness, J. J. Groom, as to what the applicant did when the marriage license was granted. Groom said he took it before one of the officials, or a duly licensed priest or minister, as mentioned in the license.

"And what occurs immediately after marriage?" asked Mr. Higgins.

Some laughter followed, and the wit-

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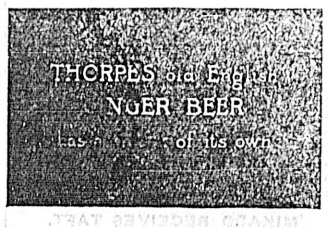

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## Plain Talk to Emperor Nicholas

### Crushing Indictment Presented to "Little Father" by His Children.

### Official Oppression Mismanagement and Broken Promises the Counts.

LONDON, July 26.—The Standard this morning prints the full text of the remonstrance which was drawn upon by the zemstvo congress at Moscow for presentation to the Czar.

It makes four and a half columns of solid type and is a most crushing indictment of Russian misrule. In calm, dispassionate language, a detailed presentation and expose of existing conditions, official oppression and mismanagement of internal affairs is set forth for the Czar's perusal, and the document promises to rank with the grand remonstrance which was presented to Charles I. by the British House of Commons in 1641.

The remonstrance details the existing laws of the nation and showed how they are broken with impunity by the officials entrusted to carry them out. Various massacres and police outrages are instanced to show that the local officials have no desire to enforce the laws for the benefit of the rank and file of the population.

A great deal of the document is devoted to a discussion of the question of the reform of local government. It shows that the government has not the slightest desire either to strengthen or develop local self-government throughout Russia, and puts the question of a change in these conditions squarely up to the Czar himself.

The question of religious tolerance is discussed at length and numerous instances cited to prove that the statements sent broadcast to the world that all faiths were to be treated with toleration is a fallacy. The freedom of the press is declared to be farcical in the extreme. Referring to the ukase of December 12 last, which promised an end to censorship and espionage, the remonstrance says:

"This is simply an instance of the failure of the local government officials to obey the commands expressly given by the Czar."

In discussing a scheme for popular representation, the remonstrance says:

"We are forced to arrive at the conclusions that the present government is impossible and that it has never been intended by it to grant indispensable reforms. The situation in the country is growing worse and a transition to constitutional government is the sole means at hand to save the nation from ruin. All through Russians are bound to take action of the most decisive character to secure a representative assembly. We can wait no longer."

### SITUATION IN SWEDEN.

#### Norway and Sweden Not Yet Settled Terms of Separation.

Christiania, July 26.—Commenting on the situation in Stockholm, all the newspapers prefer to await the debate in the riksdag on the report of the special committee before considering the conditions Sweden desires to impose, but the majority incline to the opinion that these conditions will not be acceptable to Norway.

### CANADA'S TOMMY ATKINS

#### Must Not Wear His Uniform in State of Massachusetts.

Boston, July 26.—Adjutant-General Steprord of Massachusetts has written a letter to Lieut.-Col. S. Maynard Rogers, commanding the 43rd regiment, Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles, Ottawa, Ont., declining his request that the regiment be permitted to enter this state under arms next month. This decision was reached at a conference with Governor Douglas, and after having received an opinion from Attorney-General Porter. The adjutant-general in his communication to the Canadian commander points out that the statutes of Massachusetts are prohibitive and the only way to arrange the matter would be by the passage of a special act of the legislature, which is impossible, as the general court is not in session.

## Big Flume Is Success

### Logs are Brought to Salt Water From an Area of Ten Miles.

### Enterprise and Energy of Vancouver Men Meet With Reward.

### Mysterious Disappearance of a Man Who Hires a Boat For a Row.

VANCOUVER, July 26.—Water was turned on in the Capilano Flume Company's flume today and a timber test made with complete success. There is now only a third of a mile connection to make with the upper section, around the second canyon. When this is done there will have been completed one of the longest flumes on the Pacific coast.

The first section completed some time ago was built by J. G. Woods and associates, including Messrs. Burwell and Byron Johnson. It starts from Sister creek above the dam on the west side, a distance of four miles along the Capilano. The company which accomplished the task was known as the Burrard Inlet Boom & Flume Company.

The second section was built from salt water up by a company known as the Capilano Flume Company, and consisting of Dr. Carroll, H. K. Holgate and W. T. Farrell. The second section was built under agreement that the undertaking company would share in half the assets of the entire concern and half the accruing profits. The completed flume will be eight miles long. Some of the construction work was accomplished with the greatest difficulty, particularly the carrying of the flume through the canyon. The men who undertook the task were practical men, however, and men determined to accomplish what they undertook. The result has been that the work is of a most permanent character and built to endure. Two square miles of very fine timber west of the dam is held under special license by the building companies, and half a mile of timber close by is held by the companies under crown grant.

It is not the intention, however, of the joint companies to only flume their own timber, they will be able to handle an enormous amount of customs work and bring down safely vast areas of timber for a distance of ten miles from salt water held by private parties.

#### Mysterious Disappearance

Joseph Ganzalos, a Portuguese fisherman, found a row boat without an occupant floating off Brockton point this morning. Some small articles of male clothing, a pipe and tobacco pouch, a pocketbook and watch were in the boat. On a handkerchief was the name "W. R. Cuthbertson." The boat was found to belong to Thompson & Squires, boatmen. It was engaged at 3.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the man who rowed off with it being about five feet ten, gray hair, dark moustache and dark complexion. The theory is suicide, as the boat contained considerable water where it had been tipped, and the man had evidently taken out the contents of his pockets before jumping overboard. The name "W. R. Cuthbertson" is not in the directory.

The capital of the Britannia Copper Syndicate operating the Britannia mines on Howe Sound is to be increased from $625,000 to $937,500 and existing shares of $6.25 are to be divided in half. The object is said to be to clear the mine from debt before the big operations are carried on. This will take $312,500 and $1,000 shares at par value of $312.50 will be issued. A meeting will be called August 7th to take action.

Within the next thirty days application is to be made for 107 square miles of timber lands under special license on Moresby island, the southerly island of the Queen Charlotte group. The identity of the capitalists is not known, beyond the fact that they are Americans. It is believed to be the McGoldrick interests of Ohio, who have recently acquired a hundred square miles of timber along the proposed route of the G.T.P.

The daily report from the fishing centres this morning was:

Fraser river and Vancouver—Yesterday's boats averaged 45; high, 140.

Ewen's—Yesterday's boats averaged 44; high, 192.

Imperial—Yesterday's boats averaged 95; high, 200.

Scottish-Canadian — Yesterday afternoon average, 80; high, 440.

English Bay—Yesterday, 20; high, 75.

Brunswick—Yesterday afternoon average, 120; high, 522. This morning's average, 150; high, 428.

Report from the Sound by Mr. Deming: Lots of fish this morning; all we can handle. We received 140,000 fish yesterday. Fish showing up well at Salmon Bank. From Salmon Bank, 35,000; Lummi island, 35,000; Cherry Point, 70,000.

### REPRESENTATIVES OF PEACE

#### Sail for American on Their Mission of Peace With Japan.

Paris, July 26.—M. Witte, Professor Demartens and a number of officials making up the Russian peace plenipotentiaries left by train at 9:20 this morning for Cherbourg. They will sail for New York on the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse this evening. Many officials and diplomatists gathered at the depot, with whom M. Witte stood smoking and chatting until the train pulled out. Madame Witte and her daughter accompanied M. Witte to Cherbourg. Thence they will go to Brussels and remain there during the conference. The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse is crowded with homeward bound Americans, and there are many American and European journalists on board.

### POOR DISTURBED RUSSIA.

#### Her Internal Troubles Are Still on the Increase.

St. Petersburg, July 26.—The disorders at Nizhni Novgorod have now continued for four days with daily collisions between the rival camps into which the workmen and the rioting roughs have divided, but there has been no general rioting since Sunday's five hours' affray. According to the government advices twelve men were killed and three were fatally wounded Monday and Tuesday nights. On Sunday night a bomb was thrown against the school house in the suburbs of Sormovo, where a detachment of soldiers were quartered. The thrower of the bomb was killed. No advices have been received of today's events. A regular blood feud appears to exist between the Socialistic workmen in the Soromove district and the stevedores, brickmakers and cab drivers. The factions invade each other's territory and fight on sight, using revolvers and clubs.

### BRITISH MDEICAL ASSOCIATION.

London, July 26.—The British Medical Association has accepted the invitation to meet at Toronto in 1906.

### ROJESTVENSKY IS RECOVERING.

#### Under the Skilful Japanese Surgeons' Care.

Tokio, July 26.—Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky has undergone a successful operation. A wound on his foot was operated on and a small piece of bone was removed. His condition is considered satisfactory.

### NORTHWEST COAST NEWS.

#### Big Salmon Run—Great Northern Building to Cloverdale.

Bellingham, July 26.—(Special)—The sockeye run continues to supply the canneries to their full capacity. The fact that good catches came last night from the salmon bank traps off San Juan island promises a supply for at least several days.

Blaine, July 26.—It is rumored that the Great Northern will next week begin construction work on the line passing through the heart of this city and terminating at Cloverdale, B. C.

Portland, July 26—Several witnesses in the trial of the government against Congressman Williamson in connection with the land fraud cases were examined today, without producing any startling evidence.

### MR. MORGAN'S LONDON HOME.

#### U. S. Tariff Keeps Millionaire's Expensive Fancies in England.

London, July 26.—During his absence from America, Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan has added a whole Fragonard room to his London residence, the intrinsic value of which is estimated in hundreds of thousands of pounds sterling, besides being of infinite historical importance. Some appreciation of the value of the collection may be gathered from the fact that while a Fragonard a foot square is worth $5,000, the largest room in Mr. Morgan's house is walled with the great artist's pictures. In all, there are twelve of these paintings, each measuring three yards high and two yards wide. In order to embrace the whole collection in a single room, it was necessary to remove the wall separating the drawing rooms of Mr. Morgan's adjacent houses at Prince's Gate.

## Railroad to Similkameen

### Great Northern Railway Selects Midway for the Starting Point.

### For Building the Line Westward to Oroville—Plans of the Company.

SPOKANE, July 26.—The Great Northern has finally selected Midway, B.C., in preference to Republic, Wash., as the point from which its Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern railway is to be built westward to Oroville, Wash., whence the line turns north into the Similkameen distric of British Columbia.

The decision is disclosed by the letting of 14 miles of construction work westward from Midway to P. Welch, the Spokane railway contractor. Mr. Welch leaves today or tomorrow for Midway to arrange for the commencement of work on his contract. It is expected that other contracts for work between Midway and Oroville will be let in the course of the next week or two. Several contracting firms, including Porter Brothers of Spokane, have outfits ready to take the field at short notice.

#### How the Line Will Run

From Midway, B.C., the V., V. & E. will run westward to Molson, Wash. Both points are on the international boundary line, but the V., V. & E. will swing northward in a broad curve to avoid natural obstacles that prevent its running due west. The distance from Midway to Molson is 31 miles, and it is the first 14 miles of this section that have been let to Mr. Welch.

From Molson to Oroville the line swings approximately southwest for about 20 miles. This section will present the most interesting engineering obstacles on the entire road, inasmuch as Molson is from 1,800 to 2,000 feet higher than Oroville. Contractors who have seen profile plans of the work state that the road will be carried throughout the Molson-Oroville section on a supported grade without switchbacks.

Oroville is located at the mouth of the Similkameen river, and thence the V., V. & E. runs north on both banks of the Similkameen to the international boundary line. The subsequent route is not definitely located, or if located, the route has not been announced. Princeton, B. C., the business centre of the Similkameen district, is presumed to be the present objective point of the road.

#### Ready for Track Laying

The Great Northern now has the Republic & Washington line from Marcus, Wash., to Republic, Wash. Curlew, Wash., is the junction point for the V., V. & E. Recently 14 miles of grade was built, connecting Curlew, Wash., and Midway, B. C. Steel is to be laid on this grade immediately. Nine miles of steel have already been delivered on the ground and the track is to be completed immediately to facilitate construction west of Midway.

Work is also under way on the grade between Oroville, Wash., and the international boundary line. About 800 men are now engaged on this section.

### KING AND EMPEROR

#### Will Hold Royal Conference at Copenhagen Shortly.

Copenhagen, July 26.—A formal intimation was received by the court today of Emperor William's intention to visit King Christian at an early date.

### CHILD'S BODY RECOVERED.

#### Evelyn Gilmour of Nanaimo Found Near No. 1 Shaft.

Nanaimo, July 26.—(Special)—The body of Evelyn Gilmour, who was drowned on Friday, was found this morning not more than fifty yards from where she was carried away by the swift currents. Messrs. Frank English and Tom Aitken, looking down into the water at the end of the pipe line near No. 1 shaft, saw the body, partly covered with coal dross, lying at the bottom. The water was nine feet deep, and two men diving alternately managed to clear the dross away and raise the body to the surface. The little one's dress was torn by the grappling hooks that had been used over this spot without avail when the search parties were first out. The unfortunate child was only 13 years of age.

## The Day At Ottawa

### Final Meeting of the Cabinet Before Dispersing for the Holidays.

### Member for Kingston Named as a Likely Successor to Fitzpatrick.

### Order in Council Appoints New Auditor General—Lead Duty.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, July 26.—The ministers have been in session all day, this being the last full meeting of the cabinet before the holidays. Premier Laurier will remain in town for two or three days, but by the end of the week practically all the members of the government will have gone.

It is not likely that there will be any reconstruction of the ministry until after the holidays. For the position which will be vacant by the retirement of Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick, the name of Mr. Harty, M. P. for Kingston, is mentioned. It will require all Sir Wilfrid's "sunny ways," however, to induce the member for Kingston to accept a portfolio. Mr. Harty is tired of public life, and advices from Kingston state that he has positively intimated to his friends his desire to retire into private life. Strong pressure is being brought to bear upon him to reconsider his decision.

Hon. Mr. Fielding left for Rimouski today to meet Mrs. Fielding and daughter, the latter having been under the care of the famous Dr. Lorenz at Vienna for the last six months.

The Canadian astronomical observing party which is to witness the total eclipse of the sun in Labrador sails from Quebec August 3rd.

According to government advices the tea crop of Japan will be small this year.

An order in council has been passed providing that dry white lead, orange mineral and dry red lead made from lead produced from Canadian ores and pig lead made from Canadian bullion on entering Canada shall now pay duty on the full value of the article. A few years ago in order to encourage lead mining in Canada it was provided that pig lead corroded from Canadian refined lead should be allowed entry at the actual cost of refining, in the one case and the cost of corroding in the other. Recently a lead refinery has been established at Trail, B. C., and corroding works at Montreal, and it is in conformity with the policy of granting incidental protection to these new Canadian industries that a change has been made. The lead miner gets his encouragement through the present bounty.

The order-in-council appointing S. N. Parent chairman of the national transcontinental railway commission was passed today. Mr. McIsaac, M.P.'s appointment as the maritime province representative will be made this week, both gentlemen will make their homes in Ottawa.

An order-in-council appointing John Fraser of the finance department to be auditor-general has been passed.

### "PUTS" AND "CALLS."

Chicago, July 26.—Directors of the Chicago board of trade have refused to grant a petition to abolish the penalty for violating the rule governing trading in "puts" and "calls." The penalty is equivalent to expulsion from the exchange.

### RARE TREASURES OF ART

#### Purchased in London for New York's Metropolitan Museum.

London, July 26.—The director of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, has returned here from Paris, where, accompanied by Robert W. Deforest, one of the trustees of the museum, he has been inspecting art objects offered for sale to the Metropolitan museum. Director Clarke informed the Associated Press that he had made some important selections, but he could not divulge their nature, because the deals have not yet been concluded.

It is announced that twelve Bramantine panels, recently sold at auction at Christie's, were bought in for the Metropolitan museum. The pictures, which are considered to be portraits of members of the artist's family, possess wonderful personal individuality, and formerly formed a portion of the Frieze of the Salon of the Gonzaga Palace, near Mantua. They were purchased by the late Henry Willette, and remained in his possession until his death. The pictures, which are nearly 400 years old, will be restored before shipment to New York.

### PRICE OF PAPER PUT UP.

#### Many American Journals Are Laboring Under Serious Disadvantages.

St. Paul, July 26.—In the hearing of the investigation of the business methods of the General Paper Company before Special Examiner Taylor, appointed by the United States court yesterday, A. C. Weiss, general manager of the Duluth Evening Herald; Conde Hamlin, of the St. Paul Pioneer Press, and W. J. Murphy, publisher of the Minneapolis Tribune, testified that their experience had been strenuous since the formation of the General Paper Company.

Mr. Weiss testified to his despair of ever being able to do business with the General Paper Company on an equitable basis. He said that prior to the organization of the defendant company there had been competition among the paper companies of the West, but since that time there had been no competition.

Mr. Hamlin was asked if he was aware that there were paper mills operating in the Northwest independent of the General Paper Company. He said he was, but freight conditions or other considerations made the mills unavailable sources of supply.

It developed later that the small independent mills were not of sufficient capacity to afford security for a full supply to any publishing company.

At the afternoon hearing Lucien Swift, of the Minneapolis Journal, and George Thompson, of the St. Paul Dispatch, testified that the cost of paper to them had increased from 25 to 50 per cent. since the organization of the General Paper Company.

The investigation closed late in the afternoon, when the adjournment was taken until the fall. The government will apply to the circuit court for an order compelling the directors of the General Paper Company who refused to testify to answer the questions of the prosecuting attorneys.

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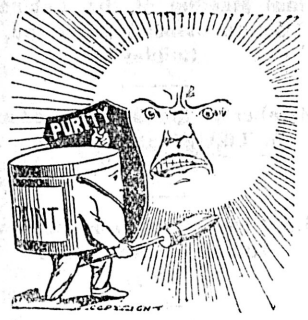


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## Japanese Make Another Move

### Battalion Lands Seven Hundred Miles North of City of Vladivostok.

### Movement May Mean Launching of River Expedition in Russian Rear.

St. Petersburg, July 27.—Despatches from Manchuria report the landing of a Japanese battalion and the seizure of a lighthouse on the Siberian coast near Dekastries, a post formerly called Alexdrovsk, 700 miles north of Vladivostok, after a preliminary shelling by torpedo boat destroyers.

Military officials here attach importance to the episode only in connection with the Sakhalien campaign, and say that as the landing was effected at a place where the Straits of Tartary are narrowest, apparently it is part of the strategy of Japan to prevent the escape of the Russian garrison in Sakhalien, across the straits. They add that the landing is too far north to have bearing on the main campaign or on operations against Vladivostok.

London, July 27.—The Japanese landing at Dekastries, which is the terminus of the only cable line connecting the mainland with the island of Sakhalien, is regarded by the London morning newspapers as an attempt to seize the mouth of the Amur river, in order to enable the Japanese to despatch an army up that great waterway to threaten the Russian communications. Japanese gunboats and torpedo boats could thus reach Harbin and give effectual assistance to any attack on the Russian fortifications. Both the Usseri and Sungari rivers are navigable for vessels of light draught, and thus the Japanese could advance inland in three different directions for a considerable distance. If, as is supposed, Japan has a river expedition in readiness, the mere threat of its advance will suffice to change the plans of the Russians and compel their retirement from Kirin and Kengwha districts upon Harbin.

The correspondent of the Daily Telegraph sends a report received from Osaka, Japan, to the effect that a Japanese army of 1,000 men is attacking the Russian position on the Tumen river.

### POLICE INVADE TRACK.

#### Force Their Way Into Betting Ring at St. Louis.

St. Louis, July 26.—After the second race had been run at Delmar track today a squad of police marched into the track. It was necessary for them to force their way in today, breaking down the iron chains at the entrance, but there was no combat or physical violence.


### PAINS IN THE CHEST.

Mr. John Clark, Port Hope, Ont., states: "Last winter I was so bad with a cold that I could not speak above a whisper, and had great pains in the chest. A friend advised me to try Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine, and one bottle cured my cold, which I believe would have proven very serious if I had not used this medicine."

### ANOTHER GREAT SUCCESS.

Judging from the large sales already made, the Brackman-Ker new cereal food, which is cooked ready to eat, bids fair to equal their other well-known brands in public popularity. In these hot summer days, both at home and in the camp, the great utility of a food which requires no cooking or preparation, and yet possesses nourishment for every organ of the body in just the right quantities to secure perfect assimilation, needs very little demonstration to the wise housewife.

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## SEIZURE OF THE AGNES DONAHOE

### British Government Considering Despatch of War Ship to Uruguay.

Washington, July 26.—Official advices reaching Washington fail to show any relief in the acute situation which has been developing for some time between the British and Uruguay governments over the imprisonment in Uruguay of the captain and crew of the Canadian sealing vessel Agnes Donahoe for alleged poaching.

Several months ago the British government laid before the American state department a full statement of its side of the case, and the American minister to Uruguay was instructed to use his offices to assist a settlement. The British government takes the ground that as the contract of the Uruguayan government, giving to a certain company the exclusive right to fish in certain waters, was a private contract and was not communicated to or recognized by any foreign government, the capture of a Canadian ship for fishing in these waters was illegal.

However, the Canadian captain remains in prison, and London is considering the advisability of sending a warship down the South American coast. This step, however, will be taken only when every diplomatic method has been tried to obtain the release of the prisoners.

The London government is not averse to a settlement of the matter by arbitration, but the Uruguayan government has thus far refused to arbitrate.

### FOUR TRAINMEN KILLED.

Atlanta, Ga., July 26.—Four trainmen were killed in the western part of the city by a freight wreck on the Georgia Central railway.

### WOMEN MAY VOTE.

Melbourne, Victoria, July 26.—The Victorian assembly today passed a bill granting the elective franchise to women.

### ADDS FUEL TO FLAMES.

#### Governor of Odessa Issues Extraordinary Proclamation.

Odessa, July 26.—The governor of Odessa has issued an extraordinary proclamation, which when posted in the city tomorrow may have the effect of increasing the already bitter feeling against the Jews among the troops and more ignorant classes of the population.

The governor says he has received a number of anonymous letters denouncing persons as socialists and revolutionists, which he entirely ignores, believing that in most cases these communications were inspired by motives of personal vengeance. The proclamation continues: "Letters have also come from the Jews charging the police with preparing for a Jewish massacre."

The governor then declares that such action is impossible and will not be permitted, but he adds: "The governor is astonished at the Jews addressing such letters to him, seeing that it is the Jews themselves who caused the disorders. The police invariably found revolvers, bombs and prohibited literature in Jewish houses. But for the Jews there would have been no disorders and no Kniaz Potemkine affair. Now the Jews have the impertinence to bring charges against the police."

### STAR MINING CO.'S CASE.

#### Celebrated Case Re-opened Before Chief Justice at Nelson.

Nelson, July 26.—The celebrated lateral rights case of the Star Mining Company vs. the Byron White Company, both of Sandon, was re-opened here today before Chief Justice Hunter, and will last all week. The first trial was in February, 1904, when an adjournment was had on the end of three weeks' sitting to allow of further experimental work being done to satisfy the court which of the expert contentions advanced was correct. The work has since been done, and the present sitting is to hear new evidence and counsels' argument on the whole case. E. P. Davis and E. V. Bodwell represent the plaintiffs and defendants, respectively. The defendants' witnesses were in the box all day. The experts will adhere to their original testimony before the new work was ordered.

The Supreme Court special sitting ended here yesterday, and Mr. Justice Irving has left for the Coast. No judgment has as yet been rendered in the case of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company vs. the City of Nelson, over the erection of a municipal power plant. The case is likely to be appealed in any event. In the Providence case, decision has been given against the Greenwood and Chicago men, headed by M. F. Madden, of Madden Bros. of Chicago, who have now the control. Mr. Madden states that he is now going right ahead in the purchase of new machinery, and the immediate development of the mine on a larger scale.

Next Tuesday Chief Justice Hunter will be here and try the case of the Slocan Star vs. John M. Harris of Spokane. The case is likely to last until near the end of the week.

#### Will Appeal Case

Mr. Justice Irving won golden opinions here through his courtesy. Joseph Martin, K. C., says that the Providence case will be appealed.

The leasing method of mining is producing good results at Sandon. A strike is reported of a good quality of ore, and a strike of carbonates and galena is also recorded as having been made upon the Mountain Con. The management of that mine declare that they will have to hustle to ship out, with their present facilities, all the ore this year which is now in sight.

The strike reported a few weeks since on the Lone Bachelor, also in the Slocan, has been followed up, and further good ore has been encountered. A shipment is almost ready of the ore first discovered.

The Nelson four oar crew which is to compete at Portland regatta leave this morning for Portland via Spokane. They are confident of winning, but are light, the four only aggregating 532 pounds.

## News Notes Of The Dominion

### Privy Council Disallow Appeal in Wellington Collieries' Case.

### Permission Refused to Dominion to Appeal re Sunday Observance Law.

Montreal, July 26.—A cable says the privy council today refused to grant the petition of the Dominion government for leave to appeal the case of the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance. The case is the outcome of an appeal of the Lord's Day Alliance to the Dominion government to pass legislation respecting the observance of Sunday. The Dominion referred the question to the supreme court in order to ascertain if it had power or if the provinces had the power to pass the necessary legislation. The supreme court declared that legislation remained with the Dominion government, and the government sought to have this decision reversed. The privy council also gave a decision granting the government the right to appeal in the case of Gain and Gihula, the two Pere Marquette railway officials of St. Thomas whom the government sought to deport because it was alleged they had violated the alien labor law of Canada, but were restrained from forcing the officials to return to the United States by the decision of Justice Anglin, Toronto, who declared the Dominion government had not the necessary powers to take this action. The government, however, must bear the costs of the respondents. The privy council allowed the cross appeal of the Rossland Kootenay Mining Company vs. Centre Star.

The cable says the privy council has dismissed the case of the Attorney-General of British Columbia vs. Wellington Colliery Company for the dismissal of appeal. The case of Renwick vs. Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Company for dismissal of appeal; leave to appeal was not rescinded, but the appellant pays costs.

Hon. S. N. Parent, the former premier of Quebec, is in the city. He admits having accepted the chairmanship of the transcontinental railway commission in place of the late F. B. Wade.

#### Lieut. Peary Sails

Sydney, N. S., July 26.—Steamer Roosevelt, in which Lieut. Peary makes the trip to the Arctic, sailed from Sydney this afternoon. Peary says he is hopeful of success in reaching the North Pole in 1906.

#### Town Leases River Channel

Kenora, July 26.—The Ontario government has issued a lease of the east channel of Winnipeg river to the town of Kenora, which has power to expropriate land on either side. This will enable the town to make an agreement with the Maple Leaf Flour Mill Company for the erection of their 2,000-barrel mill.

#### Coals to Newcastle.

Fort William, Ont., July 26.—Tomorrow at noon the steamer Westmount and tow schooner Selkirk, of the Montreal Navigation Company, are expected to arrive at the Empire elevator with about 90,000 bushels of wheat from the elevators at Kingston. This grain, which will be the first to be unloaded out of a boat into an elevator at Fort William, is caused by a shortage of some thousands of bushels to fill an order here for an Eastern elevator company which is bent on making the parties from whom they bought fill the order at Fort William, notwithstanding that an offer was made to ship the wheat from Kingston to whatever port the buyers wished to sell at.

#### Manitoba Crops

Winnipeg, July 26.—The crops look excellent. The wheat is headed out nicely and well filled. The weather is perfect, and if present conditions continue for a couple of weeks, the greatest yield in the history of Western Canada is assured.

"I've just come from seeing 1,275 acres of the finest land on earth turned over," said Mr. Wishart, of Minnesota, today. "We had a steam plough and worked double shifts with the other ploughs, and we have done it all since the 25th of June. Yes, we'll harrow it and disc it and put in the crop next spring, and then we'll be able to show you four miles of wheat, and that's only a beginning for the district back from Caron station, beyond Moosejaw. I've been in wheat land all my life, and never saw its equal."

#### New C. P. R. Hotel

The question of a name for the new C. P. R. hotel in Winnipeg is now being actively considered by the authorities. The preferred name of the many possible is the "Seepear" hotel. This is also said to be the choice, up to date, of Hayter Reed, manager of Canadian Pacific hotels. Mr. Reed during his recent visit to Winnipeg went into this matter among others concerned with the new hostelry, and expressed his preference for the above name. The aim of the company is to secure a title that will show its connection with the hotel, and phonetic spelling of the familiar "C. P. R." seems to meet the idea. The only other name considered very seriously up to the present is "Selkirk," after the historic Lord Selkirk, and while "Strathcona" would be desirable, the name is already borne by another of the company's hotels.

#### Liberal Convention.

Regina, N. W. T., July 26.—Liberals of the new province of Saskatchewan have called a convention to meet here on August 16 to discuss the policy of the party when provincial status has been obtained.

### IRISH UNDER SECRETARY.

#### Sir Antony MacDonnell Will Resign Owing to Ill Health.

Dublin, July 26.—Sir Antony MacDonnell, under secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, has recovered from the severe operation lately performed on him, but owing to the state of his health it is reported that he has decided to resign his position in the autumn.

### A STRANGE PLEA.

Chicago, July 26.—John Mueller, charged with killing his wife and child, makes the plea of epileptic somnambulism. Mueller declares there was no motive; that he slew his wife in his sleep and that his actions were due to a blow on the head received during a labor riot two years ago. He is conducting his own case. Mueller killed his wife and child by shooting them and then hacking them with an axe.

### OBSTRUCTIONISTS REBUKED.

#### Redmond and His Followers Rouse Storm of Protests.

London, July 27—John Redmond, the nationalist leader, and his followers continued their obstructionist tactics of blocking private bills in the House of Commons yesterday, but according to the Morning Post, as the result of remonstrances which have reached them from all parts of the country, representing the injustice which such acts inflict on a large body of workingmen, have decided to withdraw all further opposition to such bills.

### THE COTTON ACREAGE.

Washington, July 26.—The department of agriculture report on cotton acreage, published at noon today, shows a decrease of 14.9 as compared with last year.

### PURIFYING CHICAGO.

#### New Chief of Police Raids City Gambling Rooms.

Chicago, July 26.—Mayor Dunne today appointed Captain John M. Collins as chief of police of Chicago, to succeed Francis O'Neill, who resigned a few days ago.

John Collins, newly installed chief of police, tonight startled gamblers by leading a comprehensive attack against the largest poker rooms to be found in downtown quarters. Headed by Chief Collins in person, the police descended on four prominent gambling clubs, arrested about one hundred men confiscated large quantities of gambling paraphernalia, and destroyed all the furniture found in the place. Chief Collins announced early today that he purposes to suppress gambling in Chicago.

### THE EMPERORS' INTERVIEW.

#### Correspondent Talks of Connecting It With Norwegian Throne.

London, July 27.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Stockholm says: "The object of Emperor William's interview with Emperor Nicholas was to obtain the consent of the latter for a prince of the house of Hohenzollern to ascend the throne of Norway. It is possible that the Russian emperor will consent, provided Russia be permitted to slightly rectify her frontier on the Arctic."

The Daily Mail suggests that "the rectified frontier" means that Russia wants to acquire the strip of Norwegian territory which parts Finland from the Arctic ocean, thus gaining a seaport.

### YELLOW FEVER SITUATION.

#### More Deaths and People Thoroughly Aroused to Danger.

New Orleans, July 26.—Six deaths from yellow fever were recorded today up to 6 p. m., making a total to date of 45. The number of new cases reported yesterday and compiled today is 11, making all told to date 165 cases. There are now 19 centres of disinfection.

The organization of forces fighting the spread of the infection and for a campaign of education and practical application of the mosquito extermination plague has been completed, and besides 100 men have been hired to clean gutters, while 350 men are working as part of the system of sanitation. Citizens are being organized in Ward 1, and these ward clubs will form precinct clubs, and a house-to-house canvass will be made to assure the screening of every cistern and the oiling of every cesspool and waterpool.

The business men have provided the funds for the work, and the people are aroused to the necessity of action. The state board of health on Monday adopted a new regulation for fruit ships, providing that they should remain six days at sea between the last port and New Orleans, and being fumigated at port of departure and fumigated after the discharge of cargo.

Yesterday the steamship Anselm, of the United Fruit Company, was allowed to come up after being at sea 4½ days, and according to the ship's papers she stayed at the quarantine station only 40 minutes, during which time her crew of 61 men were examined and passed. This aroused the people to action, and today Mayor Behrman and others waited on President Couchion of the state board of health and insisted that the regulations be made immediately effective. In view of the quarantine complications, Dr. Souchon has called a conference for next Sunday to discuss the quarantine regulations. Surgeon White, who is in charge of all the government work, will participate.

The work of placing the detention camps has been finished, and supplies are now being sent to them. The infection in the original centre seems to be dying out, as fewer cases are reported from there, indicating that modern methods have been effective.

The work is now to find the new centres and treat them in the same manner. Physicians are now reporting all cases of fever, and wherever there is the slightest suspicion, rigid sanitary rules are applied, with the result that up to now there has been no spread of any case from any of the new centres. Those which are developing are traceable directly to the original quarter.

The emergency hospital was opened today, and patients were removed to it in a screened ambulance.

New York, July 26.—Health Officer Doty gave out the following statement this afternoon regarding the yellow fever situation at Colon and New Orleans: "I have received no official notice that one or more cases of yellow fever were removed from the steamship Seguranca before her departure from Colon on July 22.

"If this disease is found on board when the vessel referred to reaches the New York quarantine station, the patient or patients will be removed to the Swinburne island hospital and all persons on board whose temperatures are above the normal register will be removed to Hoffman island for observation. The present regulations are sufficient to furnish full protection.

"All vessels arriving from New Orleans are now subject to inspection at this station, and will be for the present treated in the same manner as vessels arriving from Colon. There is no danger whatever that an outbreak of yellow fever in the north would be followed by any serious results to the public, principally for the reason that the variety of mosquito which transmits the disease is not found in this section of the country. Besides the present treatment of an outbreak of this disease is simple and effective if properly carried out."


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## Brilliant Spectacle At the Gorge

### Formal Opening of New Park Attracted Thousands Last Night.

### Wonderful Transformation Is Wrought by Street Railway Company.

The opening of the B. C. Electric Railway Company's new park at the Gorge took place last evening with great eclat. The occasion will be long remembered in the history of Victoria as a celebration, as it were, marking the parting of the ways between the old regime and the new. The successful completion of the first of the series of new departures which are to transform the somewhat stagnant summer evening life of the city complained of by tourists into a thing of movement and beauty. Of the ultimate success of this new venture on the part of the company everyone felt or said they felt assured, but no one ventured to predict the astounding alacrity with which the Victorian public responded to the call of progress and flocked in their thousands to see the new park.

Last night the capacity of the company's rolling stock was taxed to the uttermost and car after car was filled to overflowing, car after car succeeded in its place, nor did the strain relax until a happy crowd of about three and a half to four thousand persons were landed safely in a fairyland of sylvan beauty lit by countless electric lamps and enlivened by the strains of a good military band. Around the centre of attraction, the band stand, which itself bristled with points of electric light, the scene was difficult to briefly describe. The effect of the electric lights cleverly arranged amongst the interlacing trees was one, the stagic excellence of which it would be hard to exaggerate, producing as it did a conception of depth and distance that was really and wonderfully artistic. The ubiquitous reporter wandering amongst the groups overheard the conversation of two evident old-timers: "It's beautiful," said one after a long silence. "Beautiful," replied his friend, "I call it wonderful. I feel as if it were all a dream." Such indeed seemed the feeling of all, admiration mixed with wonder at what had been achieved in the space of three short weeks.

The scene, viewed from across the placid waters of the Arm, was most striking and beautiful. Almost every small boat, launch and canoe in town, and they could be counted by the score with their human freight, were in evidence dotting the entire expanse of the water, while on the green sward immediately beyond the boats thousands of people passed to and fro under the innumerable electric lights. And as a background for all towered the sombre masses of the grove of pines.

### BENNINGTON DISASTER.

#### Gunboat Is Again Afloat and Will Be Repaired.

San Diego, Cal., July 26.—The gunboat Bennington is again afloat on an even keel, and it will be towed by the Iris to the Mare island navy yard to be thoroughly examined and repaired. The naval tug Fortune will escort the Bennington and the Iris. Divers are examining the Bennington's hull.

Admiral Goodrich is expected to arrive on his flagship tonight or early tomorrow, when an official investigation of the disaster will be begun. Much interest centres on the question of what was the steam pressure on boiler "B" at the time of the explosion, it being said that the safety valve had been set to blow off at 140 pounds. Ten minutes before the explosion the pressure was only 118 pounds and was rising, it is said. The boiler had been cleaned only a short time before the explosion and filled with fresh water from shore. Only one boiler exploded. An examination of the inside of the ship shows that the hull has been damaged but little if any. The water which poured in and caused the listing came through the blowhole and the pipes were broken by the force of the explosion. The entry of water is now under control, and no difficulty is expected in making the vessel sufficiently seaworthy to stand the trip to Mare island.

Washington, July 26.—It was stated at the navy department today that the transfers of bodies of those who perished of the Bennington to the homes of relatives will be made as rapidly as possible, but some delays must be expected since there are certain health regulations to be complied with in the cases of bodies already buried. The bureau of medicine and surgery, to which all requests for transportation of bodies is referred is using every effort to expedite the work. An appropriation is available for such transportation.

Capt. Drake, at San Diego, has reported to the navy department the death today of T. Takata of Tokio, wardroom cook of the Bennington. His father is C. Takata, at Tokio.

### JAPAN'S PROBABLE DEMAND.

#### Guessing at Amount of Indemnity Likely to Be Asked.

Washington, July 26.—Whether there is to be peace in the Far East or continuance of war will be practically decided at the first business meeting of the Washington conference, which will convene at the navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., about August 5th. Baron Komura will communicate to M. Witte the essentials of Japan's peace terms for further negotiations. This, it is declared, will not be done in a spirit of defiance; indeed, there are many evidences in the possession of the neutral governments that Japan is coming to the Washington conference not imbued with a desire to humiliate Russia, but only exact terms which will purchase a lasting peace in the Far East, and which will in a measure egompensate Japan for the financial losses in the present conflict.

It is known that Japan will demand indemnity that will approximately cover the war to date. The amount is still a secret.

It will not fall far short of one billion dollars, according to advices reaching here from well informed sources.

Japan's other essentials to the continuance of the negotiations believed to be the handing over to Japan of Sakhalien, of the Lia Tung peninsula, and of the railway as far as Harbin, the recognition of Japanese predominating influence in Korea, in the return of Manchuria to China.

If the Russian plenipotentiaries are prepared to accept these essentials the officials here are confident that the basis will be laid for negotiations sure to lead to the signing of the treaty of Washington, bringing peace in the Far East.

A second subject for the plenipotentiaries to settle will be the surrender of all the Russian ships now interned in neutral ports. Some persons believe that this demand will form one of the essentials, while others claim ground for believing that Russia may induce Japan to take these in part payment of the indemnity.

### MIKADO RECEIVES TAFT.

#### United States Secretary and Party Meet Emperor and Empress.

Tokio, July 26.—The Emperor and Empress of Japan today received in audience and entertained at luncheon the party of United States Secretary of War Taft. The secretary was driven to the imperial palace in the state carriage. Lloyd C. Griscom, the American minister, escorted Miss Alice Roosevelt.


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F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff.
Victoria, B. C., July 25, 1905. jy26

### NEW BRICK BLOCK.

#### Description of Building to Be Erected by Mr. Promis.

Mr. Oscar Promis, of San Jose, Cal., who is in town for that purpose, has completed arrangements for the building of a brick block on Government street, which is destined to be one of the prominent ornaments of the city, and is to bear the name of the Promis block. Mr. Promis represents the interests of the Promis Estate Company of San Jose, who possess other landed interests in this city. He will remain here during the erection of the building.

"It is not every day," said Mr. Promis, "that such a building as this goes up in Victoria, and we purpose at some cost to study the interest of the city by making it an additional beauty to the place. The enameled bricks, for instance, that we are going to use are a new thing and a specialty of the Blue Ridge Enameled Brick Company of New York. They are calculated to contribute greatly to the appearance of the structure.

"Many good offers have been made to me for the property for building purposes, but I had no intention of selling. I have great confidence in the future of the Island and the possibilities and potentialities of Victoria are, in my opinion, unlimited. I believe that the next couple of years will see enormous changes and developments, in fact without reference to the "chosen people," I regard this distinctly as the 'land of promise.'"

Mr. C. E. Watkins, of the well known firm of Messrs. Hooper & Watkins, architects of this city, was called upon today by a Colonist man in reference to their accepted tender for the erection of the Promis block, which under their skilled superintendence, is destined shortly to constitute another feature of beauty in our principal thoroughfare. By the courtesy of Mr. Watkins the following details of the structure were obtained:

The building is to have a 45-foot frontage our Government street, a depth of 145 feet running back to Langley street. The building will be of two stories and basement on the Government street side and three stories on Langley street. The ground floor will be divided into two stores, and the second floor into up-to-date offices with entrance on Government street. The building will be heated throughout with hot water and lighted with gas and electric light. The Government street front will be faced with white enamelled bricks and cream terra cotta. The store front will be finished with Australian red mahogany, the vestibules and entrances will be tiled. Altogether it will be one of the ornament features of the city. The enamelled bricks, which have never been used here before, are imported from New York.

Mr. George Snider has the contract for the building, which is to be finished in four months, the contract price being in the neighborhood of $20,000.

Special attention is to be given to the matters of light and ventilation, and the front and rear of the stores are to be lighted with Luxfer prisms. Altogether the arrangements throughout will be of the most modern and commodious, and applications for the new business accommodation are already coming in. lyimk.'—.-thn ?hsopara' . .* . .* . .* . . . .


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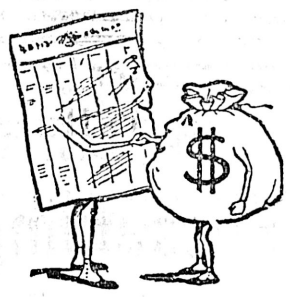

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### Victoria Building Society

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the above society will be held at 15 Trounce Avenue on Friday, 28th July, 1905, at 8 p. m.: To receive the Secretary's Report and Balance Sheet for the past half year, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By Order.
A. St.G. FLINT, Secretary.


## JAPANESE FANCY GOODS

Wanlbe has returned from Japan last steamer, by the Iyo Maru, and carried several kinds of latest new goods. All kinds of Silk Goods, Brassware, Cloisonneware, Satsuma ware, Curios and Porcelain. Please call and examine our articles.

We will sell for lowest price any other store in this city.

NEW GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

ORIENTAL BAZAAR,

90 Douglas Street.

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152 Government Street, near Chinatown.


## Wanted---Male Help

Wanted, at once, for railway construction, 100 men or more; $2.25 per day and fare advanced. Apply between 4 and 5 p. m.

J. DEVEREUX,
14 Trounce Alley.


# DIAMONDS

BEFORE PURCHASING try my prices. Great bargains in unredeemed pledges. A. A. Aaronson, Pawnbroker.

HAMMERLESS, 10 bore, Parker; cost $60; sell for $20. A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

SEWING MACHINE, oak drop head, Singer, $25. A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

TRANSIT, Gurley, $100, also fine sight compass, $35. A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

SET ELECTRICAL BOOKS, cost $45, sell for $20. (Thompson). A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

VIOLINS—Some fine old ones from $10 to $50. A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

GOLD WATCHES, very cheap; also silver. A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

30x30 RIFLE, $10; 44 rifle, with 3.50, sight $8.50. A. A. Aaronson, the Pawnbroker.

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The Westside — Victoria's Popular Store

No Goods On Approval Or Exchanged

# Winding-up Business

Our specials for Thursday will not be exhibited as usual in our show windows, but they will be here just the same, and at the time specified:—

ON SALE TODAY

**At 9 a. m.—Wool Dress Fabrics**

A special lot of high class Woollen Dress Fabrics, in Voiles, Crepe-de-Chenes, Serges and Tweeds. Regular values 90c. to $1.25. TODAY.... 37 1-2c

**At 10 a.m.—Ladies' Leather Purses**

Ladies' Fine Leather Purses, in Black Seal and Imitation Alligator, combination and other styles. Regular values $1.25 and $1.50. TODAY..... 75c

**Pleun Laces and Appliques at Half Regular Prices**

**At 11 a. m.—Blanket Sale**

All-Wool White Blankets, extra full and absolutely free from grease. Regular value $4.00 a pair. TODAY..... $2.75

**At 3 p.m.—Black Dress Goods**

Two sensational bargains in one day from the same department should make this section busy. The regular values of these extra fine Black Dress Fabrics run up to $1.50 a yard. TODAY..... 75c

**All Smallwares and Dressing Cases at Half Price**

The Hutcheson Co., Ld. July 27 1905 Victoria, B.C.

## Given Shelter He Sold Friend's Home

### E. J. Weber Arrested for Forgery and Obtaining Money by False Pretences.

### Sold Furniture of Man Who Gave Him a Home—Was to Have Married Today.

Edward John Weber, about 22 years of age, said to be a deserter from the United States army at the Fort Worden station, was arrested yesterday by Detective Perdue, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses and with forgery.

It seems that Weber, who came to Victoria four or five months ago, and has avoided work since, and who took an assumed name, Gus Ausrige, met H. P. Mellish, of 352 Douglas street, and Mellish, who lived alone, gave Weber a home with him two weeks ago.

Yesterday Mellish, who is employed by Lemon, Gonnason & Co., went home about 5 o'clock and he found J. W. Goss, a furniture dealer, in his house, who informed the young man that the furniture in the house now belonged to him.

"I guess not," said Mellish; "it's mine."

"Why, I gave the owner $225 for all the furniture here a little while ago," said J. W. Goss.

It was soon found that Weber had taken advantage of the owner's absence at work to call in Mr. Goss, who makes it his business to buy the furniture of a house en bloc. Weber, pretending the furniture in the house belonged to him, told J. W. Goss he had to leave at once for San Francisco and wanted to sell his furniture without delay.

They bargained, and finally the dealer agreed to pay him $225 for the furniture as it stood. Weber took the cheque and gave Goss, in Mellish's name, a bill of sale on the furniture, which latter was to be removed three days later.

When Mellish went home he found the furniture man surveying his purchase and quickly explained matters. Then he hurried to the city lock-up and told the detectives, who soon located Weber.

The alleged deserter was found on Government street with $125 in cash left in his possession—he had cashed the cheque for $225 and spent $100.

It seems that Weber was engaged to be married to a young lady in the Work Estate district, and they had arranged to have the ceremony take place today had not Weber been otherwise engaged.

Included in the purchases made by him when spending the money he secured from J. W. Goss for the furniture was a wedding cake and some of the trousseau for the prospective bride.

The police believe he was preparing to skip, however. He is being charged with forgery in having signed Mellish's name to the bill of sale he gave to J. W. Goss and with obtaining the sum of $225 by false pretences.

### DALLAS BATHING PAVILION.

#### Rooms for Gentlemen Bathers Are Available Today.

The bathing pavilion on Dallas road, is now nearing completion, and from today at 2 o'clock a few of the rooms will be available for gentlemen. The building is expected to be finished in the course of a few days, when all the rooms will be thrown open. The position of caretaker has been given to Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, lately of the Sailors' Home, Esquimalt, who are said to be very suitable persons for the position.

The Crystal Palace scheme is being very favorably received by the citizens, a number of whom called at the Tourist Associations rooms yesterday with offers of financial aid towards building the palace. So well has the idea been received that it is expected that work in connection with the actual erection of the building will be taken in hand in a very short time.

### 2,500 WORKERS STRIKE.

Lodz, July 26.—Two thousand five hundred men in the Geyers cotton mills struck today because their foreman was discharged. The strikers are threatening to destroy the mill. They made a demonstration, but were dispersed by Cossacks, who arrested two hundred.

### NAVIGATES A WARSHIP.

#### Captain Otto Buckholtz Will Go North on German Warship Falke.

Capt. Buckholtz, of this port, has been engaged to act as pilot on board the German cruiser Falke during her five weeks' cruise in northern waters. The navigating lieutenant was quite equal to the task of bringing the ship at full speed through the narrows at Vancouver at 11 o'clock at night, but he was not sufficiently familiar with the treacherous currents and rocks of the inside passage to undertake the task of sailing the vessel out that way. It may be mentioned that warships never take pilots if they can possibly avoid it, and this for obvious reasons.

## RECORD CATCHES BY NEARBY TRAPS

### Forty Thousand Fish Taken Yesterday in One Lift—Condidtions on Sound.

Large catches are being made by the traps off Vancouver Island. The majority of the traps are full. When word was sent to the city yesterday, the only trap that had been lifted had 40,000 salmon. All the traps are making record catches, the sockeye run having started in earnest. According to reports from the Sound, good catches are also being made there. The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says:

Four years ago the fish commenced to run in a light way during the early part of July and continued along in fair numbers until July 20, when the first real big spurt reached the traps. Four years ago there were two big and distinctive runs of sockeye, several days elapsing in which the canneries were idle between the first and second spurts.

Reports from the straits indicate that the first spurt this season will fall somewhat short of the first spurt four years ago. There are not as many large schools of salmon in the straits as at the commencement of the run in the season of 1901.

The salmon are said to be in unusually ripe condition for the early part of the season, and this is taken as an indication that the run, or at least the first spurt, will be short. The fish as a rule remain in the straits until they are nearly ready to spawn, and then make for the spawning grounds on the Fraser river with a rush. If they remain outside the Sound until ripe before the commencement of the run, the fish make for the spawning grounds with greater rapidity, and as a result the run is shortened.

The fact that the sockeyes have appeared in sufficient numbers to give the canneries an opportunity to operate has relieved the tension that has been felt in fishing circles for the past week, as it assures at least a partial pack for the season.

A Bellingham despatch says: Purse-seiners of the San Juan and other islands have entered a bitter protest to Fish Commissioner Kershaw against the violation of the 36-hour closing law which is being violated by the trap men.

The purse seiners claim that the trap men are only making the flimsy of excuses at obeying the closing law, hanging weak bits of netting across the entrances to the traps and allowing the fish to break through.

E. B. Deming, manager of the Pacific American fisheries, was among the trap men. A few warrants were served today.

## Steamer Tricior Is Total Loss

### Piled up on Rocks Near Mendocino Cape Lighthouse—Abandoned by Crew.

### Stanley Dollar Arrives With 421 Japanese—Reshipped at William Head.

Further advices received yesterday show that the fine Norwegian steamer Tri-color, Captain Wold, is a total loss on the rocks half a mile distant from the lighthouse on Cape Mendocino, where she went ashore during a fog on Monday night, as related in these columns. The Tri-color was en route to San Francisco with 5,800 tons of coal from Ladysmith on account of the Wellington Colliery Company, to whom the steamer was chartered. Captain Herman Wold, master of the steamer, and his crew of 26 men have abandoned the wreck, and have arrived at Eureka, California, on board a tug which went to the assistance of the wrecked collier.

Captain Wold states that he lost his reckoning, and believed the ship safe up to the time she struck the rocks. The steamer lies broadside on the beach among the rocks. Her value is estimated at $200,000.

On the headland close to the wreck is a first class light, but no steam fog whistle. On the new lightship on Burnt Reef, four miles off the cape, are two lights and a fog whistle. The danger is amply marked but the currents are treacherous and the Tri-color is a new ship on the coast, and her captain, B. Wold, has not been long on the run.

When the news of the wreck reached Eureka the tug Ranger was sent to the vessel's assistance with a life saving crew. The vessel was found lying half a mile above the lighthouse hard fast on the rocks. With the approach of morning those on the vessel busied themselves in seeking a safer place. The coast opposite the helpless vessel is jagged and abrupt, which made landing there out of the question. The blowing of the fog whistle on the lightship, four or five miles distant, could plainly be heard, and those on shore observed that it had been decided to make an attempt to reach the lightship. Three boats were lowered and as nearly as could be judged nearly thirty persons entered them. The lightship is stationed southwest of there, and when last seen the boats were headed in that direction. At that hour, which was about 11 o'clock, there was no tug or any other vessel in sight. The ship lies well out of the water and heavy seas are breaking over her.

The Tri-color in a new steamer of 2,408 tons, only built last year at Newcastle, England. She came here six months ago after a brief service between New York and China. She was 350 feet long and of 3,850 tons burden. She was owned by W. Wilhelmsen, one of the largest ship-owning firms in Norway.

### BROUGHT MANY COOLIES.

#### Stanley Dollar Reached William Head Yesterday From Honolulu.

Steamer Stanley Dollar, Captain Bruce, arrived at William Head quarantine station yesterday morning eleven days from Honolulu, with 421 Japanese coolies on board, embarked at Honolulu for an American port. The Stanley Dollar is a British steamer registered at the port of Victoria, B. C., and therefore cannot carry the Japanese between two United States ports. She accordingly brought the coolies to William Head and the steamer Rosalie was sent from the Sound, being expected early this morning, to take the Japanese to Tacoma en route to Missoula, it is stated, to work for the Northern Pacific railway. Captain Bruce came to Victoria to enter and clear his vessel. He says the trip was an uneventful one, nothing of interest occurring on board the vessel. None of the 421 Japanese are to be landed in British Columbia, all being en route to the United States.

Before leaving Honolulu the steamer had considerable trouble, being delayed for several weeks through the refusal of the collector of customs to grant a clearance, and by litigation arising out of suits brought by the Japanese who bought tickets, as well as police court proceedings brought against the captain and Mr. Stanley Dollar, owner, charged with having cheated the Japanese by selling to them tickets to an American port when the steamer was bound to Victoria. These suits were dismissed and bonds of $36,000 given for the libel suits. The clearance was given on July 15, after an inspection by Captain Birmingham. After the steamer Rosalie has taken the cargo of Japanese from the steamer she will proceed to Ladysmith to load bunker coal.

### CUT FLOUR RATES.

#### Reduction Made on Oriental Liners Because of Australian Competition.

Commencing August 15, steamships of the regular lines operating from Puget Sound ports to the Orient will carry flour at a reduction of $1 a ton on the freight rate. At present the rate is $5 a ton, but from the date named the charge will be $4.

Cheap rates offered by tramp steamers and the competition offered in the markets of the Orient by Australian flour are the reasons given for the reduction, which will remain in effect for the balance of this year at least, and possibly longer if the big transportation companies think that conditions make such a course imperative.

The reduced rate was announced yesterday and is the result of several conferences between the steamship company officers and men engaged in the flour business. For some time past the big milling companies of this country have realized that Australian flour was becoming a serious competitor for the business in that commodity offered in the Orient, and they have finally been driven to seek the assistance of the transportation companies for relief.

### THE INJURED DAKOTA.

#### Cargo Must Be Discharged and Will Be Taken by the Minnesota.

The injuries sustained by the steamer Dakota were to her port tail shaft. She was 36 hours out and 60 miles past Flattery when the attention of the engineroom crew then on watch was attracted by a grinding noise which came from the tubing which encases the port tailshaft. An investigation showed that the bearings were heating and that the brass casing of the shaft was cutting badly. It was impossible to discover just how bad the injury was, and Capt. Francke, master of the Dakota, decided after a consultation with his officers to put back to Seattle.

The cargo of the steamer has been removed and the steamer Minnesota will sail in her stead, instead of waiting until August 10th. The reshipment of cargo will necessitate the moving of the steamers Iyo Maru and Edith. Repairs will be made at Bremerton naval yard. The task before the stevedore, if the Minnesota is prepared immediately for sea, will be most severe. Part of the Minnesota's cargo has been received and more of it is on the way. It is still undecided whether the Minnesota will load much beyond the Dakota's cargo. The question of getting it aboard by the time she is fully coaled will probably decide this question. The Great Northern Steamship Company has permission from the navy department to dock its vessels at the Puget Sound navy yard. The dock is clear now, and this will make it possible to send the Dakota there immediately after Superintendent Lacey has made an investigation. He will have the port engines turned over to watch the working of the shaft, and from this observation it may be possible to form an estimate of the time needed for the repairs.

There is now an extra shaft here that could be fitted into the Dakota at once, if it developed the accident is to the shaft rather than to the bearings or sleeve. In any event, it will be necessary to cancel one sailing date and probably to rearrange the joint schedule prepared with the Boston Steamship Company.

## Your Thirty Feet of Digesters.

YOU have thirty feet of Intestines!

What makes Food travel through them?

A set of Muscles that line the walls of these Intestines or Bowels.

These Bowel Muscles are sensitive to touch.

When a piece of Food rubs the walls of the Intestines these Muscles tighten behind it, and thus drive the Food onward, to its finish.

In this way a swallow of food starts a Muscle-wave which follows the Food, and which drives it through the whole length of the Bowels and Intestines.

It should take about 12 hours to do this properly, so that nutritious parts of the food may have time to be digested and absorbed.

But,—if it takes twice or three times that period you can see plainly that the food spoils in passing, and becomes as poisonous as if it had decayed before being eaten.

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Now, the cause of delay (Constipation) is simply Weakness, or Laziness, of the Bowel Muscles.—These are the Muscles that tighten the Intestines, and thus propel Food along them.

Want of Exercise, Indoor Employment, weakens these Bowel Muscles, just as it weakens Arm and Leg Muscles.

They lose tone, tension, strength to force the food onward.

And, the longer they stay in that state the weaker they become, because the less exercise they get, through the slow passage of Food.

Castor Oil, or Glycerine, will grease the passages for one load of Food at a time, but these lubricants can't help the Cause of Delay.

"Cathartics" "Laxatives" or "Physic" like Salts, Calomel, Jalap, Phosphate of Soda, Mineral Waters, etc., are all mere "Bile-drivers" and simply flush-out the Bowels for the one occasion only.

They do not remove the Cause of Constipation.

Moreover, they waste, on each occasion, so much of these precious Digestive Fluids, in the flushing process, that it takes a bigger dose every succeeding time to move the Bowel load.

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## Trades and Labor Council

### Trouble of the Coal Miners at Nanaimo Explained by a Member.

### Delegates to Toronto Convention Will Seek to Have Next Held Here.

A special general meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council was held last evening. President Geo. Coldwell occupied the chair. J. C. Gibson, organizer of the United Mine Workers of America, and J. C. Johnson, president of the Nanaimo branch of the united mine workers, occupied a seat on the platform.

G. Goldstraw presented his credentials as delegates from the laborers' union, and J. C[illegible]s as delegate from the boilermaker helpers.

J. C. Gibson addressed the council, and gave a history of the trouble between the mine owners and miners at Nanaimo. He stated that the United Mine Workers' Local Union of Nanaimo numbered 532, and the miners belonging to the American Federation of Miners, numbered between 30 and 40. The company seemed inclined to deal with the American federation in settling the difficulties, and he held it was unreasonable for them to ignore the large body represented by the United Mine Workers' Union. He had every hope that both unions would come to an understanding, and he assured the council that the United Mine Wokers' Union would place no unreasonable objects in the way of an early amicable settlement. The executive of the United Mine Workers of America, of which John Mitchell was president, had promised $5,000 per month to help the united mine workers of Nanaimo while the trouble lasted. Both Mr. Gibson and Mr. Johnston made an appeal to the Victoria labor unions for additional help. The council voted $25 and the secretary was instructed to issue an appeal to all the local unions.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Gibson and Mr. Johnston for the able and impartial manner in which they laid their case before the council.

The council then went into the business of electing two delegates to the convention of the Dominion Labor Congress, which takes place in Toronto September 15, 1905.

The following delegates were nominated: J. D. McNiven, M. P. P., A. Johnson, F. C. Watters, James Wilby. Messrs. McNiven and Johnson were on ballot declared elected.

On motion of Mr. Wilby, seconded by Mr. Watters, the election was made unanimous.

P. M. Draper, secretary of the Dominion Labor Congress, wrote to say that the council could depend on the vote and influence of the executive in favor of holding the next session of the congress in the city of Victoria, namely in 1906, as they were fully convinced that the time had come when the congress should push its labors westward, as to date it had never come further west than Winnipeg. The assistance of the Tourist Association and all other bodies will be solicited to use their influence to induce the labor congress to hold its 1906 session in Victoria. The labor council is very sanguine of the result, and will spare no trouble or expense in presenting Victoria's case to the delegates of the congress, both collectively and individually.

The campaign in favor of holding the 1906 convention in Victoria is going to be carried on with the utmost vigor in every part of the East from which delegates are liable to come, and the council confidently hope for the energetic support of all public bodies.

"Turn over a new leaf"—buy your boy a suit at B. Williams & Company. They fit well, look well and wear well.

### RIVER STEAMERS RACE.

#### Interesting Contest on the Yukon Told of by Mining Engineers.

When the mining engineers who returned by the steamer Princess Beatrice were coming up the Yukon from Dawson they were in two parties, half on the steamer Whitehorse, half on the steamer Dawson, and Mr. Dwight, one of the party, tells of an interesting steamboat race. He said:

"The steamboats pulled out of Dawson together about 1 a.m. on Sunday, July 15, amidst the cheering of the crowds on shore. No effort at speeding was made until the next day, when several 'brushes' occurred. However, the exciting part had yet to come. Frequent stops were made at landings for wood, and now one boat led and then the other. All this seemed tame until about midnight, when the passengers who had retired were awakened by the vibration of the Whitehorse. It was evident there was something doing! The steamer fairly shook from stem to stern as she plowed forward against the current. We heard excited voices and presently we realized that a real race had begun. Well, nearly everybody got up to see the fun. Here they were, both boats almost neck-and-neck, speeding up the Yukon. The passengers thronged the decks and encouraged the respective crews. It was anybody's race for an hour, as the two boats with full steam on, threaded their way up the winding river. Now we led; then the Dawson set the pace. The first engineer of our boat was awakened by the commotion. When he got on deck and took in the situation, he must have given orders, for soon the Whitehorse increased her speed. There was talk afterward of her safety-valve having been tied down, but I don't believe it. The stokers worked like demons, piling in the cordwood. They were out for blood, and hurled defiance at their rival. However, the Whitehorse finally secured the lead amid cheering, and maintained it for the rest of the night. The ladies were delighted, and applauded very heartily. Later we learned the Dawson had to tie up for half an hour to effect slight repairs. Next day the boats had several 'brushes,' but honors were about divided. It was an experience we shall never forget—our steamboat race on the Yukon."

### SOVEREIGN LIFE ASSURANCE

#### President Hoover of Toronto a Guest at the Driard.

Mr. A. H. Hoover, president and managing director of the Sovereign Life Assurance Co. of Canada, whose head office is located in Toronto, is in the city, at the Driard hotel. Mr. Hoover is here to arrange with the provincial authorities in regard to the licence. The Sovereign Life was among the first to place its cheque with the government for the purpose of securing the necessary licence to do business here. Mr. Hoover is accompanied by his wife and sister, and has been mixing business with pleasure to a certain extent, having stopped off at the interesting points in the mountains, and reports having had a very pleasant and enjoyable time.

The Sovereign Life is interested in British Columbia. It has invested some of the assets of the company in Victoria securities, and holds a large block of the debentures of this city. Dr. E. S. Rowe has received the appointment from the company as its chief agent in British Columbia, with head office located in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover, in conversation with a Colonist reporter, expressed the greatest admiration for the scenic beauties of Victoria generally and for the cleanliness and well-kept appearance of the city in particular. They were delighted with the wealth of flowers and vegetation with which it is surrounded, and regret that their stay is necessarily but brief.

### CITY AMUSEMENT.

Some amusement has been created in the city by the fact that Mr. George Edwards, chairman of the Aerated Bread company, is also to be chairman of Claudius Ash, Sons & Co., Limited, a concern which manufacturers dental materials, mineral teeth, and so forth. Some time back a person broke a tooth over a bun in a Haymarket shop. It was, of course, not an "A. B. C." shop that the calamity happened; but the city adapts the joke, none the less.—Vanity Fair.

When life's autumn comes, women, worn out by the burdens of motherhood, yet shrink from that second "change of life" which will banish these burdens forever. They fear a change in form, in feature, in personal attractiveness. Such fears are largely warranted by the effects which this change produces in many women. But no woman need let these fears fret her.

Those who have used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription do not suffer from the change of life either in face, form or feelings as do other women. This fact is due to the intimate connection of the general health with the health of the organs peculiarly feminine. By preserving the health of these organs, and relieving the system from the debilitating drains, ulcers and inflammations which sap its health, "Favorite Prescription" paves the way for this natural change to come in Nature's way, without the loss of capacity to please others or personal inability to enjoy life.

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## THE COST OF LIVING.

The good times which the country has been enjoying, with its increased consuming power by reason of larger incomes and a growing population, has also materially increased the cost of living. We know that all articles of necessity such as meats, breadstuffs, fruits, vegetables and the like are dearer than they used to be. We have only to compare our grocery and butcher bills now with what they were ten or fifteen years ago. Of course, the cost of living is after all only relative, and depends upon the earning capacity as to whether it is greater or less than formerly. Wealth and wages have also increased, but whether they have increased in the same ratio can only be determined by reference to comparative statistics of both, covering, say, the last two decades.

As to the cost of living, we are indebted to an Eastern paper for a summary of prices of staple articles in 1896 and at the present time, and we imagine that most persons will be surprised at the result of comparisons. You could buy in 1896 for $5.24 the same quantity of breadstuffs, taking all classes in the proportion that they are used in the average family, that now costs $8.73. The price of meats and other foods classed as "provisions" has so increased that the quantity which could be bought in 1896 for $1.36 now costs $1.69. The increase in fruit prices is from $1.21 to $1.62. Textile goods of all kinds, making the assortment in proportion to their use in the country, now cost $2.42 for the same quantity that cost $1.58 in 1896. Metal goods on the same basis show the still larger proportionate increase of 37 to 59 cents. Equivalent prices of coal and coke have increased from 48 to 61 cents, oils from 21 to 29, miscellaneous articles from $1.02 to $1.69. Summing up thirteen classes constituting nearly the whole of the staple articles of merchandise in common use, it is computed by Bradstreets that $6.51 in July, 1896, would buy the same goods that would cost $9.21 in July, 1905. That is, leaving out rents, taxes, insurance, liquor, cigars, medical attendance, domestic service and other matters which vary according to the experience and character of the family, the cost of living increased in nine years almost 50 per cent.

## "BILLY ON THE SPOT."

The Yukon papers to hand give full accounts of the banquet tendered to the new commissioner, W. W. B. McInnes, by the Canadian Club at Dawson, upon his arrival there. So successful was Mr. McInnes in dazzling his audience that the Daily News solemnly announces that "A new star has arisen in Yukon." It describes his speech as an "emancipation proclamation," and says that the new "commissioner enunciates the principles of glorious conquest for a struggling land." In short, if he can succeed in keeping up the pace at which he has started in, upon the conclusion of his term he can discard the name of McInnes and retain one of his simple surnames. He will be consecrated in the history of the Yukon as either of these great heroes, whose names were bestowed upon him by ambitious parents, is embalmed in the hearts of the Scottish people. There is said to be a peculiar psychological effect in a name, notwithstanding the fact that Shakespeare is doubtful on the point, and it would be a remarkable confirmation of the theory held by the present school of New Thought if in the years to come monuments throughout the Yukon should attest to the reincarnation of a Bruce or a Wallace.

We have had much pleasure in perusing his speech on the occasion referred to. It is characteristic. Mr. McInnes has probably made as eloquent speeches before, but the occasion being a more important one, for instance, than that of his celebrated castigation of Mr. Ralph Smith at Nanaimo, or his denunciation of the Globe editor in the Dominion House of Commons, his Yukon speech is of necessity greater than ever was. It was not less eloquent, and it conveyed a message and an inspiration that has been lacking in all his previous efforts, because, as we have said, the occasion has never before existed. The speech, as a whole, fully demonstrated the claim he made near its close that he was "Billy on the spot." It was received with tremendous enthusiasm, and we can imagine the ovation which followed his peroration, in which he declared that the outburst of kindly feeling would stand out in his memory as one of the proudest and best spots of his life, whereat the reporter states that

"The audience then rose and sang with ringing effect 'For He's a Jolly Good Fellow, Which Nobody Can Deny.' The 200 male voices made the old building shake. At the end of the strain a voice cried:

"'What's the matter with Billy McInnes?'

"'He's all right,' roared the 200.

"'Who's all right?'

"'Willie McInnes,' came the great response."

Mr. McInnes has always been regarded in politics in British Columbia as a promising man, but as Commissioner of the Yukon he has outshone all previous expectations. In fact, he made by actual count as many as 25 distinct and very important promises, all of which will be kept in mind and brought in judgment against him if he fails to make them good. In speaking thus we do not wish to infer that the outline of his policy was not a correct one in the interests of the Yukon, or that he was not sincere in his statements. The important and significant fact of the whole peculiar situation is that it should be deemed necessary to make announcements of such sweeping reforms—to promise so much—and that his utterances should have been productive of such unparalleled enthusiasm and delight. Mr. McInnes would be popular under any circumstances, but the sudden and unprecedented popularity to which he has apparently attained is not due even to his magnetic personality or the brilliancy of his oratory, but to the message he delivered—a message which reflects so seriously upon the conditions which existed previous to his arrival. It is quite possible that Mr. McInnes will not be able to carry out all he has promised in the name of the government. In the exuberance of his youth and the exaltation of his position, he probably soared higher than he otherwise would have done. Congdon has accompanied him to the Far North, not because a legal adviser of the council of the Yukon was necessary, but that the wings of the Commissioner might be clipped in case they expanded too much to the breeze of popular opinion. Nevertheless, the people rejoiced in the anticipation of a new order of things, and revelled in the zephyrs wafted by these very wings, even if they knew they could not last always. It was like the dew of Heaven, the sea-breeze to the heated traveler, or a cooling draught to the parched lips. Whatever may happen in the future, the message of the new Commissioner afforded a delightful sensation for the time being, or, as the News expressed it editorially, "it lifted a heavy load from many shoulders." To the people of the Yukon who have suffered and struggled and protested and had been cast down, Mr. McInnes momentarily, as it were, drew aside the curtains of the skies and gave them a glimpse of the paradise beyond. They may have felt it was an impossible Beyond, but it looked good to them and they were ecstatic.

That all the people of Dawson did not enjoy the banquet or appreciate the good things that fell from the Commissioner's lips is evident from what the News tells in respect to the personnel of the gathering. The members of the inner Sifton ring were, we are told, conspicuous by their absence. They included Fred T. Congdon, W. A. Temple, John L. Timmins, Auguste Noel, George Vernon, D. A. Matheson, Jeff Davison, Dr. Strong, John R. Gray, Rev. Macrae, T. D. Macfarlane, H. M. Martin, James F. Macdonald, "Pickles" and a few others.

## CHANGES IN LIBERAL CABINET.

There is every prospect of an extensive rearrangement in the Laurier cabinet just as soon as the Prime Minister can get around to it. It is well known that Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick will retire shortly, such being his expressed desire. He will probably accept a chief justiceship, which it is said rests with his own wishes in the matter. The venerable Richards, Hon. Richard Scott and Sir Richard Cartwright, one in his 81st and the other in his 71st year, are infirm, and it is understood, and, in fact, it is definitely stated in Liberal circles, that they will both retire shortly, gracefully and with honors. The present Solicitor-General is likely to be promoted to full cabinet rank in the stead of Hon. Richard Scott. Lord Strathcona, the Canadian High Commissioner, being a very old man, though still remarkably active and clear-minded for his years, it is thought will not remain much longer in his present position. Rumor has for a long time suggested the name of Sir William Mulock as his successor. Sir William being a gentleman of great wealth, is perhaps the only one of the present Canadian politicians qualified for the position, who could afford to accept it. It is true that he has ambitions for the premiership, but when Sir Wilfrid Laurier steps down and out, and the Liberals are still in power, there is no doubt that Hon. Mr. Fielding will be the choice of the party to take over the leadership. There will thus be four vacant portfolios to fill between now and the next session of parliament. Hon. A. B. Aylesworth is mentioned for the portfolio of justice. Mr. Arch. Campbell, West York, is mentioned as successor to Sir Richard Cartwright. Mr. Lemieux is slated to take the place of Hon. Richard Scott. We have seen no one spoken of as a possible postmaster-of Sir William Mulock. Messrs. Hugh Guthrie and Leighton McCarthy are spoken of as successors to Mr. Lemieux as solicitor-general. In all the forecasting being done in the Eastern papers we have not observed the name of a single British Columbia member. Not one of the "solid seven" has apparently been considered as of possible cabinet rank, a fact which is rather significant.

Since provision has been made for the pensioning of ministers who have served five years, retiring is rather pleasant work, especially in the case of those who are lucky enough to be in the Senate. For instance, Sir Richard Cartwright and Hon. Mr. Scott will each receive $3,500 as a retiring allowance, and will remain in the Senate with an indemnity allowance of $2,500, or $6,000 in all. Take our own Senator Templeman, who has been two years in the Cabinet without portfolio. All he requires to do is to remain three years longer, get appointed to a salaried position for the last year, and then retire with the reward of $6,000 a year from a grateful country for distinguished services. When Sir Wilfrid gets tired of any particular colleague, or for any reason wishes to replace him, it is the easiest thing in the world to appoint him to a seat in the Senate, after the allotted term of office, with $6,000 a year. Thus retired, he can engage in any other occupation, however lucrative. The present Minister of Justice, if his services as Solicitor-General count in the five years' time limit (a point on which we are not informed), will go to a chief justiceship with an addition of $3,500 to his salary, also increased. These are among the many possibilities involved in the recent increase of emoluments provided for. Without any doubt the changes in the ministry that are imminent were among the well-considered reasons for creating a pension list. As its object becomes more apparent to the public mind, it will increase the feeling that it has aroused throughout the country, and will add one more to the indictments against the Liberal party when the electorate has another opportunity of rendering a verdict.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

[The Editor does not hold himself responsible for views expressed by correspondents.]

### CARRYING OUT THE BY-LAWS.

Sir—Why don't the corporation get their officials to work carrying out the city by-laws re overhanging bushes, etc., on the sidewalks? I nearly got my eye gouged out by an overhanging branch of a tree on Fort street last night; while on Menzies street, more particularly between Niagara and Dallas road, one finds raspberry canes growing through the planks on the sidewalks, holly and other trees overhanging so that pedestrians have to duck almost on to the roadway if they don't want their faces scratched or their headgear damaged. An over-zealous water commissioner keeps an official on the warpath these fine summer evenings gathering in the shekels from those poor mortals who happen to steal a little water during prohibited hours, to help freshen their lawns and so keep up the city's reputation for the beautiful. Why don't officials of the other departments get their men out to see that the bylaws are not broken in other respects?

RATEPAYER.

July 25, 1905.

### THE ETHICS OF COSTUME.

Sir—Referring to the complaint made by "a well known citizen" to the Colonist regarding the costume, or rather, want of costume of the men who bathe at the Gorge, don't you think that most of these complaints are caused by people having very false ideas as to what is decent and what indecent?

These women who are so much shocked at seeing a man's bare legs and arms are not afraid of exposing, at an evening party or dance, a considerable amount of bare flesh upon which the lascivious eye of the male human being is allowed to feast. Don't we also see, in the public street, women in costumes which to all intents expose every part of their form?

Yes, we do, and such exhibitions are a great deal more indecent than the sight of a man swimming about wearing only bathing drawers.

We should take an example from the Japanese, who have much better ideas than we have as to what is immodest.

I, however, quite agree with "well known citizen" that the men should not be allowed to dress and undress in full view of the pleasure seekers on the Arm.

J. A. B.

### AFTERMATH.

Sir—The battle is, for the present, over and the school bylaw thrown out.

With that result I am, of course, contented; but I am not so as to the circumstances under which it was attained. The smallness of the vote on both sides shows an apathy which is anything but encouraging, considering the importance of the matter in question. Its importance, however, being a matter of opinion, I have perhaps no right to find fault with the apparent indifference of the ratepayers in general. When, however, the advocate (self-constituted, if you like) of stoppage of supplies until amendments of abuses is attained, finds himself commended, patted on the back, etc., by certain people during the preliminary contest, for having taken up the cudgels, and when the real contest at the polls takes place, finds that the same people do not take the trouble to vote, it—well it only proves the truth of the fact which one has so often noticed, that many people exist who are not ashamed to encourage others to dare the fire in extracting the chestnuts, while they are careful not to risk the singing of their own fingers. This is no new experience to me, and I laid my account with it when I ventured to enter the lists. I shall therefore continue to advocate resistance to abuses by the mode which I recommended. If I am supported, well and good, if not, I shall console myself by the recollection of the peculiar tactics ascribed in the old ballad to the immortal champion of the battle of Chevey Chase:

"Of Witherington I must bewail,
As one in doleful dumps,
For when his legs were smitten off
He fought upon his stumps."

Allow me a little explanation on another point. One of my opponents in your paper appeared to question the fairness of the use of the weapon recommended by me, which he termed boycotting.

I admit that if it is not the real "simon pure," it at least may be termed his first cousin. I admit also that it is not the weapon which I would have chosen if any other was available. I submit, however, that I tried others before adopting it, and that I was driven to adopt it by the utter failure of the effects of facts, figures and arguments. If it is said "your facts and figures were fictions, and your arguments were without force," I would ask, how was it, then, that my critics in the Times and Colonist did not even attempt to question a single one of those facts and figures, or to offer any tangible contravention of those arguments?

Hold hard, though! A dreadful thought occurs to me! Can it have been that to the soaring intellects of these gentlemen, the puny efforts of an obscure individual like myself were beneath notice!

If that is so, I must endeavor as best I can to survive the blow. I only ask those who may blame me for resorting to the boycott, to point out to me some other weapon which I could, and have not, used. I would remind them that I sought to find corroboration by a reference to the report and views on the subject in question of the late Sir Matthew Begbie, made and expressed in fact by a gentleman who was, I think, in every respect "head and shoulders" above the community which he adorned, and who had before him the fullest evidence on the subject.

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The piano recital given Tuesday night in Institute hall by Mr. J. D. A. Tripp was an event of special interest.

The soloist achieved an unqualified and deserved success. In his choice of numbers Mr. Tripp drew heavily on the romantic composers—only one number the Andante in F of Beethoven, being by a predecessor of Chopin. In the Andante he proved himself the possessor of a beautiful singing tone. The strength and suppleness of wrist displayed in the Paganini-Liszt Campanella, combined with the warmth and abandon of its delivery, earned the soloist the most enthusiastic encore of the evening. He responded with a dainty and finished performance of the beautiful C Sharp Minor Waltz of Chopin. In compositions demanding delicacy and fine variety of nuance, such as the Chopin Etude, with its delicate filigree work for the right hand, or the Rubinstein Barcarolle, with its beautifully sustained double trill, or in the brilliance of the Moszkowski Valse, Mr. Tripp was equally successful. Recalls were numerous and hearty.

Mr. Dyke, the Vancouver 'cellist, was unfortunately unable to appear, and the programme was therefore somewhat shortened. Mrs. W. E. Green, the popular soprano, was in good voice, and met with a gratifying reception. She was repeatedly recalled. Her numbers all gave evidence of artistic conception and very careful attention to detail. Her accompaniments were played with admirable judgment and sympathy by Mr. Burnett, the well known and talented organist of St. John's church.


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## LOCAL NEWS.

Bound Over.—In the police court yesterday morning R. Bell, who had been charged with threatening to kill his wife, was bound over to keep the peace in two sureties of $500 each.

Regimental Meeting.—There will be a general meeting of the Fifth Regiment at the drill hall on Monday evening next, July 31, at 8 p.m. to discuss the coming visit of the regiment to the Dominion exhibition at New Westminster. All members are requested to be present.

Fine Stone.—The constant procession through the streets of truck loads of magnificent dimension stone is explained by the fact, not that a skyscraper is in course of erection, but that Ald. Stewart is getting in his annual shipments of granite from Nelson island. Some 350 tons in all are being delivered.

Mr. Ham's Condition.—A special despatch to the Colonist last night reads as follows: "George Ham passed a good day following his operation at the Western hospital, and the doctors say an improvement may now be looked for."

Work Again Commenced.—Workmen have again started on the new front for the store at the corner of Government and Broughton streets, to be occupied by Mr. S. G. Henderson in the course of the next couple of months as a clothier and outfitter. Tearing down the old building on the site of Mr. O. Promis' proposed new brick block next to M. W. Waitt & Co., was commenced yesterday.

For Distribution.—Secretary Elworthy of the Victoria board of trade has received from Dawson a number of copies of the special edition of the Yukon Sun ,published on the occasion of the recent visit of the American Institute of Mining Engineers to the Yukon capital. These copies were sent free for distribution, and copies can be had upon application to Secretary Elworthy.

"Seeing Victoria."—The brightly polished car that will now be known as the "observation car" made its initial appearance on the run yesterday. Long before the time for starting all the seats had been applied for, with more asking for places. To prevent the over-crowding of the car it was found necessary to put on an extra, which also had its share. The management of the company are well pleased at the success of their latest venture.

Death From Natural Causes.—At the inquest into the cause of the death of the child of Mr. and Mrs. Fay the verdict of the jury was that the child had died from natural causes. The evidence of the parents of the child was taken, the owner of the boarding house and of the doctor who performed the post-mortem examination. The evidence of the latter was to the effect that the child died from stomach trouble. After hearing the evidence the jury brought in a verdict as stated above.

Scottish Sports.—Posters are up in several places in town advertising the annual Scottish games at the Terminal City, under the auspices of the St. Andrew's Society, to take place at Brockton Point, Vancouver, on the 5th of August. This annual gathering has of late years assumed more and more importance, and the national sports, tossing the caber, putting the shot, and other manly exercises, are the cause of no inconsiderable an assemblage of competing athletes.

Enlarging Premises.—The demolition of the old Crystal theatre on Yates street, between Broad and Douglas streets, is proceeding apace, and some new work has already commenced in the direction of refitting the premises for the new use intended for them—that of an addition to the King Edward hotel. The new part, when completed, will be used as the office of the hotel, leaving the rotunda upstairs free for the accommodation of guests. The position of the bar will be changed to face the entrance from the office. The new arrangement, which is necessitated by pressure of business, will be a marked improvement.

More Steel Pillars.—There are now upwards of thirty steel pillars in place on the foundations of the new C.P.R. hotel, and their imposing appearance creates quite an amount of curiosity among new arrivals in the city as to the nature and dimensions of the proposed building. It might, indeed, be as well to put up a sign announcing exactly what kind of structure is being erected, as a Colonist reporter yesterday overheard a gentleman explaining to a couple of ladies, with an air of infinite and inside information, that it was the commencement of a series of fortifications for the English government. As all three were obviously strangers in the city, the reporter forebore to correct them.

A Body Washed Ashore.—Shortly after 5 o'clock last evening the provincial police were notified that a body, supposed to have been that of a Chinaman, had been washed up by the tide and was lying at Shoal Bay. The remains were taken to the morgue by the B. C. Funeral Co., who had been sent out to bring them in. The body is very badly decomposed, with the exception of the skeleton there being very little left. It is thought that the remains are those of one of the Chinamen who were lost by the capsizing of a sloop about two months ago. An inquest will be held to determine the cause of his death.

Given fine weather the excursion to Sooke harbor to view the fish traps next Saturday afternoon will be one of the most enjoyable outings of the season, the popular excursion steamer City of Nanaimo being an ideal boat for the purpose. The sail is a particularly pleasing one at this time of the year, the sea breezes offsetting the heat which is at present experienced. An additional attraction, and which will add to the pleasure of the outing is Sampson's orchestra, which will accompany the excursionists, rendering a programme of popular music. The steamer sails from the C.P.R. Belleville street dock at 1.30 p.m. and will return about 6.30 p.m. The fare for the round trip is only 50 cents, the tickets being on sale at the Government street ticket office on Friday afternoon and Saturday morning, and also at the wharf shortly before the steamer sails.

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### MR. COLLINS' STATEMENT

Of the Accusation Made That He Tampered With a Witness.

Mr. George D. Collins, in an interview given last night to a Colonist reporter, said he will demand this morning that the charge of tampering with a witness made against him in court before Judge Lampman yesterday be investigated. He said the facts of the matter were as follows: When leaving the dining room at the Driard hotel on Tuesday evening, he saw A. J. Henry, the San Francisco notary, whom he knew, Henry having done much work for him at different times. He spoke to Henry and said: "That was very good evidence you gave today; will you give it to me in a statement?" Henry said: "All right, if you'll draw up the statement." Mr. Collins then went to the stenographer in the Driard hotel corridor and dictated a precis of the evidence given by Henry before the court. He handed the statement to Mr. Henry, who looked it over, and then handed it to Mr. Thomas E. Curran, attorney, another witness who came from San Francisco. Henry said to Curran: "That seems to be all right." Curran said he thought the words, "And I identify the signature on the affidavit as that of George D. Collins," should be added. The words were accordingly added. Mr. Collins then handed the statement to Mr. Henry to be signed. Mr. Henry demurred, stating he might lose his commission if he gave the statement. "What is wrong with it?" asked Mr. Collins. "Oh, it's all right," Mr. Henry replied, "but some steps might be taken to take away my commission or to refuse to recompense me for coming to Victoria if I give you the statement." "Oh, that's all right," said Mr. Collins, "if the statement is all right and a true statement of the evidence you gave, you'd better sign it."

**Henry Demurred**

Mr. Henry demurred further about signing the statement, and Mr. Collins, looking at his watch, said: "I've got an appointment at the legislative library to look over some authorities I want to present before Mr. Justice Duff at 8:30 p. m.; it is now 8:25; you'd better sign it if you want to." Mr. Henry then signed the statement and handed it to Mr. Collins, who then went to the library, taking the statement with him.

Yesterday morning Mr. Helmcken, his counsel, had come to him as he was sitting in the law library at the court house and said: "Did you get a statement from Mr. Henry on representation that Mr. Justice Duff wanted it?" Mr. Collins replied that he did not, but got a statement under the circumstances already related. He was then told it was claimed he had secured a statement from Mr. Henry by representing that Mr. Justice Duff wanted it. Before that, about 8 o'clock yesterday morning, Mr. Thomas E. Curran had come to him and said: "I think Henry ought to get that statement back." "Why?" asked Mr. Collins; "has Henry asked for it?" Mr. Curran repeated: "I think he ought to get it back." However, Mr. Collins said, Henry had not asked that it be given back to him, and on the previous evening had said it contained nothing but the facts as given in evidence by him. Mr. Henry had then, though, asked Mr. Collins not to tell District Attorney Whiting or the prosecution that he had given the statement, as it might endanger Mr. Henry's notarial commission.

"These are the facts behind the charge made yesterday in court," said Mr. Collins, "and I will insist that the matter be fully investigated. It is the same procedure the prosecution tried in San Francisco—to make all manner of charges in order to influence the public while the case is pending."

Mr. Higgins, for the prosecution, and Mr Henry, notary, were both waited upon by a Colonist reporter and asked if they would make a statement regarding the matter. Neither Mr. Higgins nor Mr. Henry, however, would say anything for publication.

### EXCURSION TO TOD'S INLET.

A great treat is in store for both lovers of the picturesque and the useful. We learn that on Saturday, August 5, the committee of St. John's church have, by kind permission of R. P. Butchart, Esq., arranged an excursion to Tod's Inlet, combined with a full inspection of the new cement works. This will give an unique opportunity to view a new and great departure in the manufacturing interests of Vancouver Island. To the lovers of the picturesque the steam through the islands and return by moonlight should prove a great attraction. Fearing to neglect the fine arts, the committee have arranged for a triple bill in this direction, in the shape of luncheon immediately after leaving the C. P. R. wharf on the outward passage; supper soon after leaving Tod's Inlet on the return trip, and a concert, for which preparations are now being made. We understand the tickets for this delightful combined afternoon and evening excursion can be purchased from Messrs. Hibben & Co., Mrs. Bickford (Fort street), and Messrs. B. Williams & Co. *

Hospital Directors.—A meeting of the board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital will be held on Friday afternoon at the board of trade rooms, when tenders for supplies will be received by the directors.

Board of Trade.—The new council of the Victoria board of trade will hold its first meeting on Friday at 11 a. m. at the board of trade rooms, when a number of matters will be brought before the members.

Liberati's Band.—On Monday and Tuesday next Liberati's band will give a concert at the Victoria theatre. A matinee will be given on Tuesday at 2:15 p. m. This band, which includes fifty musicians, has just completed a highly successful engagement at the Lewis and Clark fair at Portland. Musical critics who have heard the concerts of the band have spoken highly of the aggregation of musicians.

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Payment of Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax due for the year 1905.

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CHAS. KENT,
Treasurer and Collector.
City Treasurer and Collector's Office, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., July 22, 1905. jy22

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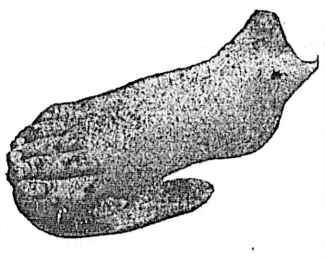


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| FROMAGE DE BRIE and CAMANBERT in Jars, each | 35c. |

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# Local News.

Will Form Union.—A united meeting of the young people's societies connected with the various churches of the city will take place on Monday, 31st inst., in the Calvary Baptist church with the object of forming a union.

Gold From Skeena.—As a result of the last clean-up of the hydraulicing plants now being operated on the Skeena, $10,000 in gold was received by the steamer Tees.

R. E. Garden Party.—A garden party will be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Reformed Episcopal church in the Douglas gardens on Wednesday, August 2nd. The fete will be in progress all afternoon, and in the evening the band of the Fifth Regiment will give a concert.

The Army and Navy clothing store announce a sweeping oddment sale, which will include everything in the stock. Their advertisement, which appears elsewhere in this issue, ought to appeal to the thrifty mammas of the town, whose little (and big) hopefuls shortly must need prepare for the opening of school.

Burst Blood Vessel.—A sailor by the name of Hughes, who had engaged to sail on the steamer Venture, burst a blood vessel while signing the book in Evans, Coleman & Evans' office at Vancouver yesterday. A hurry-up call brought the ambulance to the scene in a few moments, and the man was taken to the city hospital, where he is now being cared for. His case is not serious.

The Waterworks Question.—In connection with the discussion that is at present holding the boards at the council meeting re the waterworks question, it has been learned on good authority that since the meeting on Monday evening two of the aldermen who were supposed to be in favor of the agreement with the tramway company have altered their opinion on the matter and are now ready to vote to annul the contract.

For Labor Day—Henry Wand, chairman of the finance committee of the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council, has returned from a visit to Victoria, and he says his mission in securing co-operation of the Victoria labor men was successful. He met all the labor leaders in Victoria, from whom he received assurance that the Capital City would have 700 men in line in the Vancouver parade. Mr. Wand says the other visitors from Victoria will make the contingent 1,000 strong.

The Gulf Islands.—It is quite evident that the excursions which are now being run by the management of the steamer Iroquois are becoming very popular. The steamer is being patronized to her full capacity on nearly every trip. Many of those who have taken in the trip say that the scenery along the route is far more beautiful than that of the Thousand Isles of the St. Lawrence river. Victorians are also beginning to realize the possibilities of this trip for a pleasant outing. The Iroquois makes these trips every Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, leaving Sidney on the arrival of the train from Victoria.

Merchants' Picnic.—A meeting of city merchants was held last evening for the purpose of arranging for the annual picnic. Although there was a fair attendance very little important business was transacted. It was finally decided to inquire what arrangements can be made with the band, and it was then decided to adjourn till Friday evening to hear the report Before adjourning it was recommended that the picnic should be held at Goldstream. The meeting on Friday evening will be held in the band rooms on Johnson street at 8.30. A full attendance of representatives from all business houses in the city is requested.

To Establish Industry.—Captain F. D. Walker, of Honolulu, has returned from a cruise through the Gulf Islands with Mr. Fisher, of Vancouver, and Mr. James Warnock, of Ladysmith. The object that Messrs. Fisher and Walker have in view is the establishment of a manufactory where dogfish can be dried, oil extracted, and other business in connection with this line of work done. Nothing certain has been decided on by the party as yet, but it now seems quite likely that a manufactory will be established on Galiano Island. That it will be established on a sound, sensible basis, with plenty of capital behind it, and will give employment to a large number of hands, mostly Indians and Japs, but also to some white men.

Pressmen Were Robbed.—Members of the Idaho press party, who had a delightful day in Victoria as guests of the Tourist Association, had a less enjoyable time on Monday, when passengers on a train en route from Portland to San Francisco. When the Idaho pressmen were occupying two Pullman cars on the Southern Pacific railway, the cars were looted, and clothes, money and jewelry stolen from the editors from Idaho. A San Francisco despatch says: "It is known that four men in the special Pullman car, chartered by the Idaho State Editorial Association, and attached to the rear of the train, were despoiled of money, jewelry and clothing. In the Pullman next to the special car two Eastern passengers were robbed. Editor Bert Mills, of the Idaho Falls Times, was robbed of $140, a watch, a ring and most of his clothes. D. L. Bedley, of Boise City, editor of the Idaho Odd Fellow, lost almost all his clothes and $90. L. J. Weaver, of Mountain Home, lost his trousers and $50. C. E. Jones, of the Idaho City World, had $40 stolen from him, together with his coat. In the regular Pullman car, C. E. Blackley, of Columbus, O., was robbed of $65. Another man in the same car was robbed of an overcoat of considerable value. His name is the only one the railroad people have succeeded in suppressing."

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# SPORTING NEWS

## CRICKET.

### Close Match at Work Point

A very exciting match was played at Work Point yesterday between a team from the Victoria club and the 5th Co., R. G. A. Victoria won the toss and elected to bat. Cobbett going in first contributed a well batted 31 before he was caught by Askey. Gooch also played nicely for 33. A total of 110 was run up before the last man was out. On the artillery going to bat, very little resistance was met with till Capt. Williams went in, and he was batting in fine style when he was caught by Richardson, who made a very nice catch, after making 33. Three more wickets went down in quick order, and things began to look rosy for the Victorias, but Byrne, Flannigan and Scudds changed the aspect of things. Byrne played very carefully, only letting out at the loose ones, making a good 24, not out. Flanagan hit up 16 in quick style before he was bowled by Cobbett. When the last wicket fell the locals were only 12 runs to the good. The full scores are:

**Victoria—1st Innings**

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| J. C. Barnacle, c Fraser, b Burgess | 5 |
| H. N. R. Cobbett, c Askey, b Burgess | 31 |
| D. M. Rogers, c Byrne, b Burgess | 10 |
| L. O. Garnett, c Williamson, b Williams | 1 |
| A. Coles, c Fraser, b Burgess | 2 |
| W. P. Gooch, b Burgess | 33 |
| P. Richardson, b Burgess | 7 |
| —. Boorman, c Williams, b Burgess | 4 |
| H. Conyers, c Fitzsimmons, b Fraser | 14 |
| W. T. Williams, b Williams | 5 |
| —. Blizard, not out | 0 |
| Extras | 7 |
| Total | 119 |

**58th Co., Royal Artillery**

| | |
|---|---|
| Williamson, c and b Barnacle | 6 |
| Fitzsimmons, b Gooch | 1 |
| Burgess, c Rogers, b Gooch | 4 |
| Capt. Williams, c Richardson, b Gooch | 33 |
| Askey, b Barnacle | 2 |
| Fraser, b Barnacle | 0 |
| McCully, b Barnacle | 2 |
| Byrne, not out | 24 |
| Scudds, b Barnacle | 11 |
| Flanagan, b Cobbett | 16 |
| Mortimer, b Cobbett | 0 |
| Extras | 8 |
| Total | 107 |

### At Philadelphia

At Philadelphia today the Marylebone Cricket Club of London began a two days' match with the Colts, composed of 18 young players of Philadelphia, on the grounds of the Philadelphia Cricket Club at Wissahickon Heights.

### Victoria vs. Vancouver

Members of the Victoria club are practicing steadily in preparation for the match with Vancouver on Saturday at the Jubilee grounds. The local team will be the strongest available, as the visitors are reported to be improving their eleven for the forthcoming struggle. Play will commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and all interested are invited to attend.

## LACROSSE.

### Team for Seattle

A meeting of the executive committee of the Victoria lacrosse team was held last evening for the purpose of selecting a team to represent the locals at Seattle on Saturday. The team which will go over is very much the same as has lined up for the locals this season. Although F. White was expected to catch a place, he has not attended practice, and will not be on the line-up for Saturday. The committee are carrying out their policy, which was set at the beginning of the season, that no player would get a place on the team on his reputation, but would have to get out and drill. Another player who will be off on Saturday is Lyons, his place being taken by H. Sargison, the clever little central player, who played such a fine game the last time the locals visited Seattle, but for some reason or other has not been given a chance at home. Although Baker showed up very poorly in the last game in this city, it has been decided to give him a place again. One new face will be seen on the team, J. O'Brien, who has been steadily getting in shape, and will hold down inside home. Jack is a very heady player, and will assist the home very much on Saturday. For the trip on Saturday the team will be in charge of J. A. Virtue of the executive committee. Besides Mr. Virtue, there is a large crowd expected to accompany the team, among them being President Bolton, Secretary-Treasurer J. G. Brown, Thos. Hooper, Club Doctor Gibbs and T. R. Cusack, besides others. The team which was selected last evening is: Goal, Lorimer; point, Clegg; cover point, Crocker; defence field, Hatcher, Taylor and Stevens; centre, Hendron; home field, Sargison, Munro, Baker; outside, West; inside, O'Brien. Reserves, Lyons and Morris.

### Centrals vs. Stars

The Centrals and Stars meet in a league game this evening at Oak Bay, commencing at 6:30. Both teams are requested to be on hand at this time as it is necessary to begin sharp on time to play the regulation limit. F. Smith will act as referee.

## LAWN TENNIS.

### Annual Championship

The eighteenth annual tournament of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club will commence on Monday, July 31, and will be continued during the week. It is during this touney that the championships of British Columbia are decided. The entries for the tournament are to be in the hands of the secretary by 6 o'clock Friday evening. A meeting will be held later in the evening to arrange the entries. The gentlemen's singles championship is expected to bring out a large number of entries. The present holder of the title, R. B. Powell, will be unable to compete, so a lively race is looked for. Among those who will have to be considered in the game will be A. T. Goward, J. A. Rithet and D. Hunter, from the Victoria club; Schwengers and Macrae, from the Bays; W. A. Goss, of Portland; A. Remington, Olympia, as well as representatives from Seattle and Vancouver. Mrs. Cole, the winner of the ladies' championship last year, will be on hand to defend her title, and it is a foregone conclusion that any one who wins the championship from her will have to play record-breaking tennis.

The gentlemen's doubles will bring out some of the best tennis of the tourney. Teams will be entered from the local clubs, and others are expected from outsiders. It is not yet decided if Schwengers and Macrae will play together, but if it is so arranged, the spectators will be treated to some very fine work. The entries for the ladies' and mixed doubles are also very large and will make very interesting games.

The committee are at present having the courts put in the best possible condition, in order that the spectators may have the advantage of any fine play, which would be hampered by bad grounds.

## BASEBALL.

### Independents vs. Y. M. C. A.

The Independents last evening defeated the Y. M. C. A. by the score of 15-10. By winning this game the Independents are the champions for the season. The Y. M. C. A. started off very badly and allowed their opponents to score 9 runs in the first inning, which gave them a lead which was impossible to overcome.

During the season the Independents have won five and lost one. The North Ward and Oak Bay come next with three wins and two losses to their credit, with one game to play. S. Shanks acted as umpire last evening and gave general satisfaction.

### Bankers to Play

The United Bankers have arranged a game with the Fernwoods, which will be played this evening at the old cricket grounds at Beacon Hill, commencing at 6:30. The Bankers have been practicing faithfully, as they are very anxious to defeat the Vancouver team the next time they meet, and also to make a good showing against Duncans on Saturday of next week. The following team will represent the Bankers this evening: Pitcher, Winsby; catcher, Holden; first base, Campbell; second base, Gibson; third base, Irving; short stop, Rhodes; left field, Morley; centre field, Rowe; right field, Machin.

## SWIMMING.

Dover, England, July 26.—Edward Heaton of Liverpool started from here this morning in an attempt to swim the Channel, his intention being to land near Calais. The conditions were favorable to the accomplishment of his task.

No less than nine aspirants are now in training for swimming the Channel, including Miss Kellerman, an Australian, who expects to make the attempt in the near future.

A later message says Heaton failed in his attempt. He became ill after six hours' swimming, and only covered about a third of the distance.

Annette Kellerman also made the attempt, but after being in the water five hours was overcome by seasickness. She had outdistanced Heaton by a mile when compelled to abandon the attempt.

## YACHTING.

### The Canada Cup

Rochester, N. Y., July 26.—Three more trial races for the defender of the Canada cup took place today. Iroquois won the first by six minutes and nineteen seconds, and Rochester the second and third by one minute and twenty-eight seconds and twenty seconds, respectively.

Kee Lox was disabled in the last race, losing one of her spreaders. Iroquois and Rochester have now won four races apiece.

## PERSONALS.

Mrs. A. P. van Someren is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Collison, Carberry Gardens.

Capt. Clive Phillipps-Wolley, J. P., of Pier Island, arrived in the city yesterday on business.

Amongst the arrivals in Victoria yesterday were the Yerxes party from Chicago, consisting of 81 members, who have been traveling on an all round pleasure excursion over the lines of the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific railways for a matter of over 7,000 miles, in their own special train, stopping at all the points of interest en route. From Seattle they made a divergence in order to see the sights of Vancouver Island and the Sound. They are delighted with the beauties of Victoria, and proceed today to visit Vancouver, where their special train is waiting to carry them over the lines of the C. P. R. on their way back to Chicago. In conversation last night one of the gentlemen said they had, so to speak, discovered Victoria, as they had not heard of the place until reaching the northern coast. Seattle is the only north coast city known in Chicago, and every train leaving the latter city is well supplied with literature advertising Seattle. The party were so taken with Victoria's beauties that some of them intend to return next year for a longer visit.

Amongst the guests at the Driard are: Robert Hamilton, Vancouver; A. McKillop, Winnipeg; F. Carter-Cotton, Vancouver; Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Moore, St. Louis; Chas. Freedling and wife, Toledo, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. King, Liverpool, Eng.; J. E. Woolley, Leicester, Eng.; W. P. Rexter, Boston; D. H. Flint, Vancouver; Fred E. Young, Crofton; J. A. Macdonald, Toronto; S. G. Hunt, Toronto; Geo. H. Haslam, Toronto; H. E. Beasley, wife and two children, Vancouver; F. H. Roe, Denver; W. C. Watrous and wife, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, St. Paul; E. F. Brillingham, New York; A. V. Crisp, Vancouver; J. H. McClarrar, Pittsburg; S. Severane, Pittsburg; D. McDonald and son, Danville, Ill.; the Yerxes party of 81 persons, Chicago.

Amongst the guests at the Vernon are: Fred. Tuck, Montreal; John Kenney, Calgary; H. D. Yerkis, Winnipeg; O. D. Baldwin, Winnipeg; T. W. Burpie, Vancouver.


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The poet's eyes brightened.

"I thank you for the encouragement you give me in using the words waste basket," he said, heartily. "The last editor to whom I took a verse informed me that he threw it into the trash basket."—Detroit News-Tribune.


### TIRED ALL THE TIME.

Mrs. George Beattie, Carr's Brook, Colchester Co., N. S., writes: "Last spring I was very much run down, felt tired all the time, and did not seem to have life or energy enough to do my work. Three boxes of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food did me a world of good, and made work a pleasure to me. I have not had occasion to use any medicine since, and have recommended Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to all my friends."

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First Citizen—That new neighbor of ours, Mrs. Jones, seems an ill-natured sort.

Second Citizen—How so?

First Citizen—Why, I called her up on the telephone yesterday and asked her if she had any idea where her husband was staying, and she rang off without answering me.

Second Citizen—I don't wonder—he's dead.—Harper's Weekly.

## THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Office,
Victoria, July 26—8 p. m.

SYNOPSIS.

The barometer remains comparatively high over northern British Columbia, and fair, warm weather is still general west of the Cascades; while between the ranges the hot spell prevails. In the Territories and Manitoba thunderstorms and showers are becoming general

TEMPERATURE.

| | Min. | Max. |
|---|---|---|
| Victoria | 54 | 69 |
| Vancouver | 56 | 78 |
| New Westminster | 54 | 76 |
| Kamloops | 60 | 86 |
| Barkerville | 40 | 74 |
| Calgary, Alta. | 54 | 66 |
| Winnipeg, Man. | 54 | 62 |
| Portland, Ore. | 60 | 84 |
| San Francisco, Cal. | 52 | 58 |

FORECASTS

For 24 hours from 5 a. m. (Pacific time) Thursday:

Victoria and vicinity: Winds mostly southerly and westerly; generally fair; stationary or lower temperature.

Lower Mainland: Generally fair and not much change in temperature.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 26.

| | Deg. | | Deg. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 5 a.m. | 54 | Mean | 62 |
| Noon | 66 | Highest | 69 |
| 5 p.m. | 66 | Lowest | 54 |

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. ..... Calm.
Noon ..... 2 miles south.
5 p.m. ..... 4 miles southwest.

Average state of weather—Fair.

Sunshine—9 hours 24 minutes.

Barometer at noon—Observed ..... 29.912
Corrected ..... 29.913

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—Corrected ..... 29.88

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## NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, July 26.—A slight stirring of interest in the Erie stocks today scarcely served to move the general market in sympathy. Conviction was strong that dividends were to be inaugurated on Erie second preferred, and conjecture was mostly confined as to the rate at which the initial dividend would be placed. The buying of the three classes of the stock of the company came from but few sources and was attributed to one or two of the larger traders. The quarterly report of the U. S. Steel Coporation was favorably commented upon, but the lack of response in the stock was thought to be due possibly to over-sanguine estimates of speculators. That holders of stocks are not all indifferent to bad news of special properties is indicated by the occasional sharp break in specialties. Pittsburg Coal preferred declined to a new low level today as a result of the suspension of its dividends. The cotton market was thrown into some excitement again today by the publishing of the government's revised figures of the crop acreage, and the yellow fever in New Orleans was the subject of discussion, with a slight effect of depression on some of the Southern Railway stocks. News from the grain crops continued favorable. Money remains very easy, but foreign exchange rates are higher. The establishment of the Erie second preferred on a four per cent. dividend basis was according to the best expectation, but the declaring of the dividend for a full year at this time with provision for payments in two instalments was a general surprise. The Eries rose in consequence in the final dealings, at which time the dividend was announced, and made the closing firm.

Bonds were steady; total sales par value, $1,976,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

The secretary of the Erie Railroad Company today declared a dividend of four per cent. on Erie second preferred stock and the regular semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent. on the first preferred stock. The dividend on the second preferred stock is payable in two instalments, the first in September of this year and the second in April, 1906.

Chicago, July 26.—Gross earnings of the Chicago & Northwestern railway for the year, as shown in a statement issued today, exhibit an increase of $2,416,600.

### Closing Prices

New York, July 26.—Amal Copper 83⅞; Am Loco 47¾; Am Sugar 138⅞; Am Smelting 116⅝; C F 35¼; Anaconda 108⅞; Atch 85; pfd 102½; B & O 113; B R T 68; C P R 152½; C & O 52⅝; St P 179; C F & I 44⅝; Duluth pfd 28; K & T pfd 63; L & N 142; Mo Pac 97¾; Soo 122¾; Met 126; N Y C & H 147⅞; Erie 46⅝; 1st pfd 83½; 2nd pfd 74¼; N Y O & W 50½; Penna 141¼; Pressed Steel 93; Peo Gas 104¼; Reading 102⅞; pfd 95; 2nd pfd 92; R I C 30½; Sou Ry 32½; Sou Pac 64⅛; T C & I 85⅝; Tex Pac 113; U S S 33⅝; pfd 102½; U S Rubber 48; pfd 109½; W U 93⅜; Mackay 41 to ½; pfd 74½; C P R in London 156¾.

### Metal Markets.

Boston, July 26.—There was conspicuous narrowing of interest in the local copper market today, but in the last hour prices hardened and the close was firmly active.


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jy21 W. H. SHEWEN.

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LEW MOW.

Victoria, B. C., July 24, 1905. jy25


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| Men's $2.25 Pants, per pair | 1.00 | | |
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## The Victoria No. 2 Building Society.

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the above Society will be held at the Secretary's Office, 15 Trounce Avenue, at 8 p. m. on Monday, the 31st of July, 1905, to receive the Secretary's half-yearly Report and Financial Statement, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order.
A. St. G. FLINT,
Secretary.

### NOTICE.

Pursuant to the "Trustees and Executors Act."

ESTATE OF FRANCIS CREMER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the late Francis Cremer of Ross Bay, Victoria, B. C., who died at Victoria aforesaid on the twentieth day of June, 1905, Probate of whose Will was granted to Doctor Roderick L. Fraser and Sidney Shore, both of Victoria aforesaid, the Executors therein named, on the third day of July, 1905, are HEREBY required to send particulars in writing of their claims (verified by a Statutory Declaration) to the undersigned on or before the tenth day of August, 1905, after which date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Executors have then had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person of whose claim the said Executors have not had notice at the time of distribution.

The persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay their accounts to the undersigned at once.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 5th day of July, 1905.

FELL & GREGORY,
Chancery Chambers,
Victoria, B. C.,
jy6 Solicitors for the Executors.

IN THE MATTER of the Estate of James Allan Grahame, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the "Trustees and Executors Act" that all creditors of the Estate of the said deceased are required on or before the 9th August, 1905, to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, solicitors for Mary Grahame, who has been appointed executrix of the said estate, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 8th day of July, A. D. 1905.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
20 Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitors for the Executrix. jy9

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of William Ralph, Pursuant to the Trustees and Executors Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the Estate of the late William Ralph of Victoria, B. C., Provincial Land Surveyor, who died at Victoria aforesaid on the 15th day of May, 1905, probate of whose last will and testament was granted at Victoria, B. C., to Theodore Lubbe and to Duncan Stewart of Victoria aforesaid, the Executors therein named on the 23rd day of June, 1905, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims (verified by statutory declaration) to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Executors, on or before the 31st day of July, 1905, after which date the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Executors have then had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executors have not had notice at the time of distribution.

Any persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay their accounts to the undersigned at once.

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## CURE FOR THE "LOOPER" PEST

### Bulletin Issued From Department of Agriculture Concerning This Pest.

With reference to the prevalence in certain parts of the city and outskirts, during the present summer, of the "looper" caterpillar, some account of the destructive work of which appeared in The Colonist last week, Mr. J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, has issued for publication the following short account of the origin and habits of this pest, together with certain remedies:

On account of the prevalance of this pest in the vicinity of Victoria and the many inquiries that are received at the department of agriculture concerning it, a short account of its life, history and habits, and advice as to the best means to be adopted in dealing with the pest is given below:

The caterpillar which does the injury is the larval form of a moth called Ellopia Somniaria; it is from 1½ to 1¾ inches across the wings and the body about ¾ of an inch in length; the color is a light brown, with two irregular lines of a darker shade, and a small spot on each forewing, the under wings having one irregular line. The males have plumed antennae, and the females plain. The moths lay their eggs in the crevices of the bark or similar places. Mr. Danby describes them as follows: "The egg is beautifully blue when first laid, oval in form, with one end slightly flattened; it adheres to the bark where it is deposited, generally scattered, though occasionally a dozen will be found side by side in an upright position. As a rule, however, they are deposited separately upon or in crevices of the bark.

The caterpillars hatch out in the spring, and attain their full growth about August, when they pupate and the moth hatches out a little later.

The description of the caterpillar is given by D. Fletcher as follows: Slender caterpillars of a pale brown color, mottled with black; when full grown, about 1½ inches in length; which have only five instead of the usual eight pairs of legs—three pairs on the fore part of the body and two pairs behind—for which reason the middle part of the body is looped up, as the posterior part is drawn up to the front part in walking. On this account caterpillars of this structure are called 'geometers' or 'loopers.'"

It is clear from the habits of these caterpillars in attacking large oak trees, that they cannot be poisoned as long as they confine their depredations to those trees, but when, having exhausted their natural food, they descend by their long silken webs and attack smaller plants, it is then possible to poison them by spraying with either of the following sprays:

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It is evident, however, that the root of the evil cannot be reached by attacking the larvae; and that being the case, I am of opinion destroying the moths is the most reasonable method of dealing with it. This can be best effected at night, by placing tubs or open vessels containing water covered by a thin film of coal tar, over which are suspended lanterns; the moths fly against the light at night and fall into the water. The destruction of one moth of course means the destruction of a great many eggs.

Like all invasions of a like description, they seldom occur two years in succession. It would seem, by a wise dispensation of Providence, that some natural enemy in the shape of disease or parasites so decimates the ranks, that as a rule the year succeeding that in which the plague has been very pronounced is marked by an almost total freedom from the pest. Hence we may reasonably expect that next year may be one of immunity; nevertheless, I would advise that not for a moment should the efforts to destroy the moths be relaxed.

## STRENUOUS COURTSHIP.

The customs of marrying and giving in marriage in Sweden in former years were of a somewhat barbarous character. It was beneath the dignity of a Scandinavian warrior to court a lady's favor by gallantry and submission. He waited until she had bestowed her affections on another and was on her way to the marriage ceremony, when, collecting his faithful followers, who were always ready for the fight, they fell upon the wedding party and the stronger carried away the bride. It was much in favor of this practice that marriages were always celebrated at night. A pile of lances is still preserved behind the altar of the ancient church of Husaby, Gothland, into which were fitted torches, and which were borne before the bridegroom for the double purpose of giving light and protection. It was the province of the groomsmen, or, as they were named, "best men," to carry these, and the strongest and stoutest of the bridegroom's friends were chosen for this duty.


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## WOULD GIVE HOME TO MANY SETTLERS

### Said Senator Avery From Missouri If Resources Were Better Known.

Senator A. H. Avery of St. Louis, who is staying at the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. A. B. Ellis, of this city, was interviewed today by a Colonist reporter. The senator is here merely on a visit of pleasure. It is his first journey across the Rocky mountains, and traveling by the Canadian Pacific he stayed a day at Banff and Vancouver, and is very much impressed and delighted with what he has seen of British Columbia. He describes the scenery as the grandest he ever saw. As regards Vancouver Island, said the senator, I am very much surprised to find it so productive in grain, wheat, oats and grass, as well as fruit. I thought we fed you from the Mississippi valley. It is strange that so little is known of Vancouver Island down in the States generally. When your land is cleared and under cultivation you will be feeding the world instead of the world feeding you. With a little energy and advertisement on your part the quantities of young men leaving the congested States, such as Iowa, Illinois and Missouri, as well as the continual influx from the Eastern States where they are leaving by the thousand for the Dakotas and Indian territories, where land is cheaper, might easily be induced to invest their money here in the West. Speaking of what I know I may say that from my own country there has been invested in Canada in the last two years hundreds of thousands of dollars in the cheaper lands of Alberta, and I think that of these a large proportion would have preferred to come here had the advantages of British Columbia been known to them. You have a much better soil than Alberta, and your climate is infinitely better. A gentleman whom I met in Alberta, who resides between Calgary and Medicine Hat, assured me that all the lands in his district had been bought out by Americans at from $10, for unbroken land, to $20 for land already broken, and that there was not a single old resident left in his school district.

Judge William H. Biggs, who for four years was on the appellate bench of Missouri, and retired two years ago, has organized a Canada colonising company and has taken up and bought in Canada in the province of Alberta a large acreage of land, several hundred thousand acres, and the judge is there now, together with a great number of men from Missouri. They have stocked it with herds of cattle and sheep and are simply carried away with the country and the prospects it offers for making money.

The influx of Americans into Canada is attaining gigantic proportions year by year, the feeling between the two countries is rapidly deepening and widening as distinctions and differences dissolve by natural degrees into a mutual fusion of ideas and sentiments, merging at length into a bond of national brotherhood; and as the children of the present generation are flocking into the generous and kindly arms of the sister state, so the mothers, fathers and relatives they have behind them under the stars and stripes, equally conceive by reversion these same sentiments, born of community interests and unity of ideas, which are destined to bear great fruit in that not far distant time seen now "but through a glass darkly," but with which we shall be one day face to face, when community of sentiment and common interests shall demand a common control.

## JAMES BAY EPWORTH LEAGUE.

### Successful Entertainment Held in the Schoolroom Last Evening.

An entertainment in the James Bay Methodist church, under the auspices of the Epworth League, took place last evening. Owing no doubt to counter attractions elsewhere, the attendance was not so large as was expected, and as the merits of the occasion and the liberal programme deserved. There was, however, a select audience of highly appreciative people and the concert passed off with the utmost success. The following is the programme, which was admirably rendered:

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Ice cream and cake were served by members of the league at the close of the programme, the Mandolin Club played a number of selections, while the refreshments were being served. The league desire to thank all those kind friends who assisted them and helped so much to make the evening a success.


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## FORTUNE FOR A FLEA.

### Baron Rothschild Offers $15,000 for a Certain Specimen.

Chicago Journal.

Jimmy Click has departed for the heart of Africa on a strange mission. Jimmie is a veteran animal catcher for menageries and knows the African jungles. But this time he is not after any roaring lions or stealthy tigers or sky-scraping giraffes. Jimmy has gone to Africa to catch a flea.

Baron Rothschild, the London multimillionaire, has a peculiar fad. He has the greatest collection of fleas in the world. He has spent immense sums in acquiring it, but it is not yet quite complete. There is still one stray flea and Rothschild will not be happy till he gets it.

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# Tampered With Witness

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ness answered "He very often kisses the bride."

Mr. Collins, in cross-examination sought to question the documents, and asked witness if he knew the practice was for the application for a marriage license to be signed by the applicant and filled out by the clerk.

Judge Lampman said that would give the clerk a large latitude, even to selecting the bride, for instance.

Mr. Collins said that was unfortunately the practice at San Francisco and had been taken advantage of in this case.

"Passing to this so-called license and so-called certificate of marriage, you did not see anyone write on them?" said Mr. Collins. "No, sir," replied witness.

The marriage license, which was produced, said these presents are to authorize to join in marriage George Daniel Collins, aged 24 years and past, and Charlotta Eugenie Collins, aged 20 years and past, and was dated May 14th, 1889. The certificate of the officiating priest said: "I, Michael D. Connolly, priest, united in marriage on 15th May, 1889, George Daniel Collins, residence 1939 Broadway, aged 24 years and past, single, and Charlotta E. Newman, residence 1211 Octavia street, age 20 years and past, single, as authorized by license. The witnesses were Thos. E. Curran, M. D. Connolly and Agnes Newman. George D. Collins and Charlotta E. Newman also signed the record, which was recorded at the request of Father Connolly.

**Was Best Man**

Thos. E. Curran, attorney-at-law, of San Francisco, who was groomsman at the wedding of G. D. Collins and Charlotta Collins, said he had known Collins for 23 years, and was a witness at the marriage of Collins and Charlotta Collins on May 15th, 1889. He identified the certificate which he signed as a witness. On the day of the wedding Collins called at his office and asked him to act as witness, as the man who had promised to do so had disappointed him. He demurred, but afterwards consented, and went to the residence on Octavia street with Collins. There he was introduced to Charlotta E. and Agnes E. Newman by Collins and all four went to St. John's church on Eddy street, of which Rev. Father Connolly is pastor. The reverend gentleman performed the ceremony, which made Collins and Charlotta Newman man and wife. Witness was groomsman and a witness to the marriage. Agnes E. Newman acted as bridesmaid. After the wedding they returned to the Octavia street residence and remained half an hour, when Collins said he had an important engagement, and witness and he went to the city together. That night he attended the wedding dinner. Since the wedding he had not seen Collins and wife often. After the ceremony at the church they were introduced by Father Connolly to Archbishop Riordan, who presented them with prayer books. In cross-examination accused asked a number of questions bearing upon the "so-called marriage," but nothing further was elicited.

**His Brother-in-Law**

William Newman, brother of Mrs. Charlotta Collins and Agnes Newman, deceased, a driver of the San Francisco fire department, said he had known Collins for twenty years. His sister Charlotta is Mrs. George D. Collins.

Collins objected to this statement.

Continuing, witness said he was present at the wedding, and often visited Collins and his sister subsequent to their wedding, on which occasions the accused now in court always acknowledged Charlotta Collins as his wife. The ceremony was performed at St. John the Baptist's Roman Catholic church on Eddy street, San Francisco, by Rev. Father Connolly, priest of that church. Others than the principals present at the wedding were his sisters, Agnes, Florence and Dolly, his mother and father, himself and Thomas E. Curran, the previous witness. After the ceremony the party returned to the residence on Octavia street, where a wedding dinner was served that night. Collins and his sister always lived as man and wife, and there were three children as issue of that marriage.

This was also objected to by Collins, who raised constant objections.

Continuing, William Newman said his sister, Collins' wife, and her three children were at present living at his house, and were supported by him. He had to support Collins' wife and children as Collins would not do so. They have now no support but witness.

In cross-examination, Collins asked him if he had not actively participated in all the proceedings and persecutions; if he had not gone before the grand jury and attended sessions of court, to which witness replied affirmatively. In response to questions by accused, he said his sister Agnes had gone to the residence of his sister Charlotta, provided by Collins, two days after the wedding, and had lived with her sister, who was Collins' wife, until her death. She had been buried by Collins without consent of anyone but himself. He, his father, mother and sisters had attended the funeral. He had some trouble over money matters with his sister Agnes, and had not spoken to her for over a year.

**On California Law**

R. V. Whiting, assistant district attorney of San Francisco, gave evidence as to the laws of California bearing upon the case. He was asked regarding the jurisdiction of the California court, and Collins objected vigorously, taking exception to this method of proving the court's jurisdiction. He argued at much length that the proper way was by production of the written law. The objection was overruled, and the witness read extracts from the laws of California covering the matter of jurisdiction.

An adjournment was then taken, and the court resumed its sitting at 4 p. m. Mr. Whiting then stated that the affidavit made by Collins in verification of his answer in the maintenance suit, upon which the perjury charge is based, is required by the laws of California, and is material to the issue. He was proceeding to recite the law of California regarding perjury when the court adjourned.

Then Mr. Helmcken applied for further liberty for his client, with the result, as stated above, that Collins was charged by the prosecution with tampering with witness, and the application for further liberty was denied.


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